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### Pastor May Be in Contempt.

The Rev. A. D. Hall, a former Walden pastor, now pastor of the large M. E. Church at Malden, Mass., has been summoned to court to answer a charge of contempt. The outgrowth of a sermon he preached on a pending liquor case.

### Cities Must Pay Guard.

The Stivers-Adler bill providing that cities instead of counties should pay the men of the National Guard ordered out by the governor on the request of a mayor, became a law when Governor Whitman signed it Tuesday.

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## AMERICAN WOMAN LACONIA HEROINE

Mrs. Frank E. Harris, Wife of Army Officer, Aided Women and Children in Reaching Safety—England Aflame With Newly Stirred Hatred.

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London, Feb. 28.—The nation-wide hatred of Germany that followed the sinking of the Lusitania flamed anew throughout England today as it read the survivors' stories of the sinking of her sister ship, the Laconia, under even more ruthless conditions, with the loss of at least twelve lives.

That the loss of life was not greater was due to the excellent preparations that had been made for just such an emergency and to the splendid conduct of Captain Irvine and his men in getting the passengers safely into the lifeboats. On this, all survivors' stories agree.

Most of the survivors who landed in Queenstown were scattering to their homes and destinations today. All are without their belongings, as there was no time to get them together after the torpedo struck the vessel.

High tribute is paid to the heroism and coolness of Mrs. Frank E. Harris, wife of a United States army officer, a passenger. She was the last passenger to leave the ship and the first woman to step ashore at Queenstown.

Mrs. Harris was the coolest woman on board, according to the ship's crew. She directed the operations of many other women and aided in getting the children safely in the lifeboats. Captain Irvine ordered her into the boat finally.

The Rev. F. Dunstan Sargent, who landed at Bantry, was in the boat with Mrs. E. Hoy and her daughter, Elizabeth, the only two women to lose their lives. Both were Americans. According to the minister, considerable difficulty was experienced in getting their lifeboat away from the sinking liner.

"While we were being sent down the side," he said, "the side of our boat continually banged against the liner's side. We were afraid it would be crushed and yelled instructions to the men who were lowering us. At that, they stopped, and we were left suspended about six feet above the water. We yelled to let us down and they did so precipitately that we dropped the rest of the way to the water almost headforemost."

"I cut the oars loose with my pen knife. There were four women in our boat, including Mrs. Hoy and her daughter, both of whom died of exposure. Their bodies had to be thrown overboard to lighten the load. It was horrible, but the rest had to be saved."

"Altogether, seven persons died in our boat. They all had to be disposed of because we rode very low and waves continually broke over us."

Boat No. 15 carried the heaviest load, with sixty passengers. It had many women in it. It got safely away and was lying to, watching the Laconia in her death throes when the submarine bobbed up alongside.

"We could only see the beast dimly," said one of the women. "It drenched us as it rose. Two or three men were standing on its deck. One of them, I suppose it was the captain, spoke in very good English. 'What is the name of your ship, her tonnage and her cargo?' he called. Some one suggested that we not answer him at all, but sing 'Rule Britannia.' The steward in charge of the boat said we had better not do that as we were completely at his mercy. Then the steward told the German we had women and children aboard, and the captain replied that 'That was all right, a patrol would pick us up.' After inquiring for Captain Irvine, the submarine disappeared."

Practically all of the survivors suffered more or less severely from exposure. The weather was wintry and biting and heavy swells drenched most of the passengers to the skin. The night added to their fears. It is believed, however, that all will recover.

## NEW MARRIAGE TANGLES.

### Court of Appeals Decision Simplifies and Also Complicates Matters.

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Albany, Feb. 28.—Hundreds of children, seemingly born out of wedlock, have been given the shield of legitimacy by a decision of the court of appeals restoring the legality of common law marriages since 1897, made illegal by a bill passed in 1901 and subsequently repealed in 1907.

By reviving the common law marriage the court has made marriage a mere matter of civil contract, and any man and woman who register in a hotel as man and wife or live as such are legally married.

Revival of the law and the court's decision which diverts its legality back to 1897, may involve hundreds of New York citizens in bigamy. The decision of the jurists also gives legality to marriages performed by aldermen since May 1, when an act took effect which deprived them of that authority. Misunderstanding of the law has caused many persons to wed with aldermen officiating, although they had no legal authority to do so.

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The arrow points to Floyd Gibbons, war correspondent of the Chicago Tribune, who was a passenger on board the Cunard liner Laconia, sunk by a German submarine off the Irish coast. The photograph of Mr. Gibbons was made while he was with the army of "Pancho" Villa, representing the Tribune. The others in the picture are F. C. Scoville, of the Associated Press (standing next to Mr. Gibbons) and Edmund E. Behr, of the International News Service.

The Laconia, which was of 18,099 tons gross, was on her way from New York to Liverpool.

## EXIT THE ANNUAL SPRING FRESHET HUDSON MARU REACHES NEW YORK

### Big Ashokan Dam Retains Flood Waters of the Upper Esopus, so the Spring Freshet Does Not Come.

The warm weather of the past few days with the rain failed to give much trouble along the water front on the Esopus creek and the annual spring freshets of a few years ago seem to be a thing of the past. Since the construction of the Ashokan reservoir, there has been little trouble from high water, the big reservoir acting as a control over the raging mountain streams.

Before the dam was built the annual spring flood was always looked forward to by the residents over the Kingston bridge and at Mutton Hollow. In days gone by the water often rose several feet over the roadway and cut off traffic for a time. The rain of the past few days failed to have any marked effect on the stream and there is little fear of a freshet later on.

## MARTIAL NOTE IN CANTATA.

### "Gallia" to be Given by Walkkill Church Choir.

The choir of the Reformed Church of Walkkill, under the direction of George A. Oates, will give their second concert of the season on Friday evening, March 2, at 8 o'clock. The soloists will be Mrs. Kate L. Brooks, soprano; George A. Oates, bass; and J. A. A. Sohns, violinist. Mrs. Samuel S. Van Wagenen will be the accompanist. The choir will render "Gallia," by Charles Gounod, as one of its numbers. This short cantata or motet has been one of the most popular of Gounod's works, outside of the operatic field. Allegorical in character, it is a lament for the sad state of France after the Franco-Prussian war; Jerusalem is made to stand for that distressed country, and "the ways of Zion" to represent the fate of the composer's native land. The style is elevated and majestic, impressive, yet singularly sympathetic and making an immediate appeal to present day audiences of any nationality.

## ANNUAL BLOCKADE.

### John Street in its Regular Annual Condition of Danger.

The annual spring break up has begun on John street the past few warm days and already deep ruts have been cut in the snow, making it pretty hard going for automobiles. On account of the protected location of the street little of the snow which falls melts and annually when warm weather comes the foot or more of ice and snow makes the block between Wall street and Fair street dangerous for both automobiles and wagons.

A little time spent by the street force in clearing off some of the accumulation would help matters a great deal and possibly prevent an accident later on. In some places the snow and ice is more than a foot deep and when a car gets in the deep ruts it is impossible to get out again.

## Americans Not Yet Released.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

London, Feb. 28.—The Americans taken on the Yarrowdale and held prisoners in Germany have not been released, according to dispatches received today. The reason assigned in Berlin is that an infectious disease has been discovered in the district in which they are being detained and it would be inadvisable to let them go at this time. Cable advices some days ago were that their release had been officially ordered.

## Robin Seen in Hurley.

New Hurley has seen a robin, according to the Walden Herald. It is now up to Old Hurley to catch up as only woodpeckers have been reported to date.

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New York, Feb. 28.—The Japanese steamer Hudson Maru, which was captured on Jan. 5 by the mysterious German sea raider in South American water, arrived here today from Pernambuco with first hand accounts of those stirring times.

The identity of the raider will not be cleared up until after the war, if then, according to Captain T. Fakeshush. The commander characterized the reports that the raider was the Vineta as wild.

"Not one of the 237 prisoners were able to learn her identity," he declared. "They were kept apart in small groups and not allowed to communicate with each other. This much I know: The steamer was a large cargo vessel of 5,000 tons and she was equipped with two guns and two torpedo tubes. She had two masts, one funnel and could make 18 knots."

The Hudson Maru was held by the raider for a week after her capture, during which time Captain Fakeshush saw four vessels sunk. There were six other captains of merchant vessels prisoners aboard the raider.

## COLD SPELL HARDENS ICE TWO CONTRACTS IN ULSTER FOR 1917

The cold spell that followed the warm weather of Tuesday has hardened the ice in the river and creek and made traffic across the river today much better than it was Tuesday, when the ice had softened to a considerable extent. The heavy rainfall of Monday night caused a layer of over an inch of water to form on top of the ice which made traffic difficult the next day. This morning found it possible to skate again on the river and creek as the cold spell of the night had frozen the water that covered the ice.

Although the ice was soft Tuesday, it did not prevent passenger and freight traffic across the river. Passenger sleighs meet all trains on the east side of the river. The sleighs leave near Turck's planing mill in Ponckhoekie. Winter's express is running a freight service across the river in charge of "Tom" Stenson. Mr. Stenson said this morning that the cold weather of Tuesday night had made traffic easier.

## The Roberts Accounting.

A short hearing was had on Tuesday afternoon before Surrogate Gill in the matter of the final accounting of the Dr. Charles H. Roberts estate. Harry C. Barker testified as to certain expenditures made since the last distribution and an adjournment was taken until April 3, and in the meantime counsel for the different interested parties will get together and come to an agreement upon certain items.

## Captain Jack Crawford Dead.

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New York, Feb. 28.—John Wallace Crawford—"Captain Jack," the poet scout—is dead at his home here today. He was chief of scouts under General Custer, succeeding Buffalo Bill, and was well known for his poems of prohibition and preparedness. He was 70 years old and died from pneumonia.

## Gerard Sails for Home.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Corunna, Spain, Feb. 28.—Former Ambassador to Germany James W. Gerard and his American diplomatic party are on the last leg of their homeward journey today. A great public reception was tendered the Americans when they boarded the Spanish steamer Infanta Isabel, which sailed yesterday.

## MAJOR CHANDLER HOME THIS WEEK

Brigade Adjutant Will be in Kingston Thursday and Friday, Leaving Saturday to Accompany Governor Whitman and Staff to Inauguration at Washington.

Major George Chandler, attached to Brigadier General Lester's staff at McAllen, Texas, for the last eight months, has arrived in New York where he reported at division headquarters on February 26. Mrs. Chandler joined her husband there Tuesday. The Major was mustered out of the federal service on the border February 22 and has been especially detailed to accompany Governor Whitman to Washington to attend the inauguration of President Wilson next Monday.



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In the party beside the Governor's staff will be Major General John F. O'Ryan, division commander; Major Edward Olmsted, assistant chief of staff, and Major Chandler. They will leave New York city in Governor Whitman's private car on Sunday for Washington and will return on Tuesday. Major Chandler is expected to arrive in Kingston tomorrow, leaving for the inauguration on Saturday. He will return to resume his practice on Wednesday, March 7. The Major has been excused from state duty with the Tenth regiment, and expects to remain home permanently. Brigadier General James W. Lester, whose adjutant Major Chandler was, is now on his way to Washington from the border. Major Chandler is a personal friend of Governor Whitman and it was at the latter's request that the Kingston officer was detailed on the trip to the inaugural.

## TWO CONTRACTS IN ULSTER FOR 1917

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Albany, Feb. 28.—State Architect Lewis F. Pilcher in his annual report to the legislature Tuesday reviewed all building construction work, both by contract and state institution labor, for the nine months year ending June 30. The state architect says he has advised the holding in abeyance of all construction, except where absolutely necessary to provide accommodations for increased population in state institutions, especially in insane hospitals, charitable institutions and prisons, because of the increase in the price of all building materials and labor. Legislative appropriations, fully sufficient under normal conditions, have been entirely inadequate for construction along desired and contemplated lines. Mr. Pilcher believes these conditions will prevail for several years, and that this situation must be faced by the legislature in making appropriations for needed improvement.

Chapter 640, laws of 1916, authorized \$125,000 for an addition to the New Paltz Normal School at New Paltz. It was planned to provide an assembly or study room seating 400 pupils, an auditorium, seating 1,200 persons, and such number of recitation rooms as the commissioner of education may deem proper. Preliminary study has been started by the state architect and a preparation of the required plans and specifications will follow.

Contracts for \$10,210 were made for structural steel, iron and stair work and steel sashes at the Eastern New York Reformatory at Nanapanoch, where the state is building a hospital by inmate labor.

## Finland Arrives at New York.

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## HOY DEMANDS THAT DEATHS BE AVENGED

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, Feb. 28.—A cablegram from Austin, Y. Hoy, calling upon the United States to avenge the deaths of his mother, Mrs. Mary Hoy, and his sister, Miss Elizabeth Hoy, on the submarine Laconia, reached Washington from London today. He addressed it to President Wilson and said that unless the United States acted he would fight against Germany under another flag.

The text of the message was: "I am an American citizen, representing the Sullivan Machinery Company of Chicago, living abroad not as an expatriate but for the promotion of American trade. I love the flag, believing its significance. My beloved mother and sister, passengers on the Laconia, have been foully murdered on the high seas. As an American citizen outraged and as such fully within my rights, as an American son and brother bereaved, I call upon my government to preserve its citizens' self respect and save others of my countrymen from such deep grief as I now feel. I am of military age, able to fight. If my country can use me against these brutal assassins, I am at its call. If it stifles my manhood and my nation's by remaining passive under outrage I shall seek a man's chance under another flag."

## HEAVY TONE IN STOCK MARKET

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New York, Feb. 28.—After irregular changes at the opening of the stock market today, a heavy tone developed, with nearly all the important issues offered at concessions and declines ranging around a point were numerous. Steel Common rose 3/4 at the opening to 108 3/4, and then dropped to 108 1/4. Lehigh Valley declined 1 1/2 to 70 1/2. Industrial Alcohol dropped 1 1/2 to 123 1/2. General Motor 1 1/2 to 112 1/2. New Haven opened down 3/4 at 42 1/2 and fractional losses were sustained in other railway issues. Marine Pfd. opened up 1/4 at 71 1/4, and then declined to 70 1/4. Colorado Fuel and Iron declined 1 1/2 to 45 1/2. American Locomotive 3/4 to 63 1/2. The copper shares were exceptionally well held with Utah opening up 3/4 at 110 1/2. Anaconda and Kennecott also made small gains.

## FORESTRY TALK AT HIGH SCHOOL

J. Fred Baker will deliver a talk on forestry at the high school auditorium this evening, under the auspices of the Rotary Club and as part of the Boy Scout movement.

Mr. Baker's subject is timely and is particularly important to the people of Ulster county, which is rapidly becoming denuded of its forests. The lumber industry in Ulster county formerly was an important matter but it has practically disappeared and nothing has been done to re-create it or to supply the deficiency. Ulster county for years has regarded the lumber supply as practically inexhaustible and the care which has enabled European countries to preserve their forests and continue the lumber industry has been entirely missing here.

The Boy Scouts have taken up the subject of forestry in connection with their other useful activities, and it is hoped to have trees planted in Ulster county in large numbers during the coming year. This work probably will be undertaken by the Boy Scouts but they will need the active cooperation of their elders. The importance of the work already has appealed to many people throughout the county and particularly in this city, and a large attendance of everyone interested in forestry is expected at the high school auditorium this evening.

## SOUSES AND DEAR POTATOES.

### Two Evils Due to Telephone and Empty-Headed Women.

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Chicago, Feb. 28.—Two talking machines—a woman and a telephone—are to blame for "soused" husbands and \$4 potatoes. At least that is the explanation for wrecked homes and high cost of living given by Mrs. John C. Bley, president of the Housewives League. "The woman gads about all day and at the last minute rushes to the telephone to order food supplies instead of going to market," said Mrs. Bley. "The result is high prices for food. The woman is crabbed from her day's running around. Hubby is sore at the food bills. The result is an argument. Both get angry. Husband goes out, slamming the door and enters one where they swing on loose hinges. He staggers home in the morning—there is another marital collision and the home is wrecked. Some women have too much space for rent in the heads."



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The Rochester was reported off Bordeaux several days ago but it proved to be untrue. The ship left New York with the steamer Orleans whose arrival at Bordeaux was the signal for a great public demonstration there.

Pastor May Be in Contempt  
The Rev. A. D. Ball a former Walden pastor now pastor of the large W. E. Church at Walden Mass. has been summoned to court to answer a charge of contempt, the outgrowth of a sermon he preached on a pending liquor case.

Cities Must Pay Guard  
The Senators-Adler said providing that cities instead of counties should pay the men of the National Guard ordered out by the governor on the request of a mayor, became a law when Governor Whitman signed it Tuesday.

## AMERICAN WOMAN LACONIA HEROINE

Mrs. Frank I. Hays, Wife of Army Officer, Aided Women and Children in Leaving Safety—England. At One With Newly Started Hated.

By Telegram to The Freeman  
London Feb. 28.—The nation wide hatred of Germany that followed the sinking of the Lusitania flamed anew throughout England today as it read the survivors' stories of the sinking of her sister ship the Laconia under even more ruthless conditions with the loss of at least twelve lives. That the loss of life was not great or was due to the excellent preparations that had been made for just such an emergency and to the splendid conduct of Captain Irvine and his men in getting the passengers safely into the lifeboats. On this all survivors stories agree.

Most of the survivors who landed in Queenstown were scattering to their homes and destinations today. All air without their belongings as there was no time to get them to the ship when the torpedo struck the vessel.

High tribute is paid to the heroism and coolness of Mrs. Frank I. Hays, wife of a United States army officer, a passenger. She was the last passenger to leave the ship and the first woman to step ashore at Queenstown.

Mrs. Hays was the coolest woman on board according to the ship's crew. She directed the operations of many other women and aided in getting the children safely in the lifeboats. Captain Irvine ordered her into the boat finally.

The Rev. J. Dunstan Sargent who landed at Banti was in the boat with Mrs. Hays and her daughter Elizabeth. The only two women to lose their lives. Both were Americans. According to the minister considerable difficulty was experienced in getting their lifeboat away from the sinking liner.

While they were being sent down the slide he said the side of our boat continually banged against the liner's side. We were afraid it would be crushed and yelled instructions to the men who were lowering us. At that they stopped and we were left suspended about six feet above the water. We yelled to let go and they did it so precipitately that we dropped the rest of the way to the water almost headforemost.

I cut the bars loose with my pen knife. There were four women in our boat including Mrs. Hays and her daughter. Then bushes had to be thrown overboard to lighten the load. It was horrible but the rest had to be saved.

Altogether seven persons died in our boat. They all had to be disposed of because we rode very low and waves continually broke over us.

Boat No. 1 carried the heaviest load with sixty passengers. It had many women in it. It got safely away and was lying to watching the Laconia in her death throes when the submarine hobbled up alongside. We could only see the boat dimly. I said one of the women. One of them I suppose it was the captain spoke in very good English. What is the name of your ship her tonnage and her cargo? he called. Some one suggested that we not answer him at all but sing Rule Britannia.

The steward in charge of the boat said we had better not do that as we were completely at his mercy. Then the steward told the German we had women and children aboard and the captain replied that that was all right a patrol would pick us up. After inquiring for Captain Irvine the submarine disappeared.

Practically all of the survivors suffered more or less severely from exposure. The weather was wintry and biting and heavy seas drenched most of the passengers to the skin. The night added to their fears. It is believed however that all will recover.

## NEW MARRIAGE TANGLES

Court of Appeals Decision Simplifies and Also Complicates Matters.  
By Telegram to The Freeman  
Albany Feb. 28.—Hundreds of children seemingly born out of wedlock have been given the shield of legitimacy by a decision of the court of appeals restoring the legality of common law marriages since 1897 made illegal by a bill passed in 1901 and subsequently repealed in 1907.

By reviving the common law marriage the court has made marriage a mere matter of civil contract and any man and woman who register in a hotel as man and wife or live as such are legally married.

Revival of the law and the court's decision which direct its legality back to 1907 may involve hundreds of New York citizens in bigamy. The decision of the jurists also gives legality to marriages previously formed by aldermen since May 1 when an act took effect which deprived them of that authority. Misunderstanding of the law has caused many persons to wed with aldermen officiating although they had no legal authority to do so.

Lenten Service.  
Lenten service will be held this evening in the Spring Street German Lutheran Church at 7 o'clock. The subject of the sermon will be, "The Holy and Precious Blood of Jesus Christ."



AMERICAN PASSENGER ON S. S. LACONIA  
AMERICAN NEWSPAPER MAN ON BOARD FORMER LACONIA

The arrow points to Lloyd Gibson, war correspondent of the Chicago Tribune who was a passenger on board the former liner Laconia sunk by a German submarine off the Irish coast. The photograph of Mr. Gibson was made while he was with the army of Pincho Villa representing the Tribune. The others in the picture are: (L) Scoville of the Associated Press (standing, next to Mr. Gibson) and Edmund J. Licht of the International News Service.

The Laconia which was of 18,000 tons gross was on her way from New York to Liverpool.

## EXIT THE ANNUAL SPRING FRESHET

Waters of the Upper Tappan Flood the Spring Freshet Does Not Come.

The warm weather of the past few days with the rain failed to give much trouble along the water front on the Tappan creek and the annual spring freshets of a few years ago can be a thing of the past. Since the construction of the Ashokan reservoir there has been little trouble from high water. The big ice on acting as a control over the raging mountain streams.

Before the dam was built the annual spring flood was always looked forward to by the residents of the Kingston bridge and at Muttontown. In days gone by the water of ten to fifteen feet over the road was a hindrance to traffic for a time. The rain of the past few days failed to have any marked effect on the stream and there is little fear of a freshet later on.

## MARINE VOICE IN CANAL

Guthrie to be Given by Wallkill Church Choir.

The choir of the Reformed Church of Wallkill under the direction of George A. Oates will give to the concert of the season on Friday evening, March 2, at 8 o'clock. The soloists will be Mrs. Kate L. Bronks soprano, George A. Oates, bass and J. A. Schaefer, violinist. Mrs. Stimpel's Yarn Wagon will be the accompanist. The choir will render "Guthrie" by Charles Gounod as one of its numbers. This short cantata or motet has been one of the most popular of Gounod's works outside of the operatic field. Allegorical in character it is a lament for the sad state of France after the Franco-Prussian war. Jerusalem is made to stand for that distressed country and the voice of Zion to represent the cry of the oppressed nation. The work is elevated and majestic in its character and makes a sympathetic and making an immediate appeal to present day conditions of any nationality.

## ANNUAL BLOCKADE

John Street in its Usual Annual Condition of Danger.

The annual spring break up has begun on John Street the past few warm days and the deep rut has been cut in the snow making it pretty hard going for automobiles. On account of the protested location of the street under the snow which fills and annually when warm weather comes the foot or more of ice and snow makes the block between Wall Street and Fair Street dangerous for both automobiles and wagons.

A little time spent by the street force in clearing off some of the accumulation would help matter a great deal and possibly prevent a accident later on. In some places the snow and ice is more than a foot deep and when a car gets in the deep rut it is impossible to get out again.

## Americans Not Yet Released

By Telegram to The Freeman  
London Feb. 28.—The Americans taken on the narrowboat and held prisoners in Germany have not been released according to dispatches received today. The reason assigned in Berlin is that an infectious disease has been discovered in the district in which they are being detained and it would be inadvisable to let them go at this time. Cable advices some days ago were that their release had been officially ordered.

Gerard Sails for Home  
By Telegram to The Freeman  
Cork is Spain Feb. 28.—Former Ambassador to Germany James W. Gerard and his American diplomatic staff are on the last leg of their homeward journey today. A great public reception was tendered the Americans when they boarded the Spanish steamer Infanta Isabel which sailed yesterday.

Robert Green in Hinder  
New Haver has seen a robin according to the Walden Herald. The bird is now up to Old Haverly to catch up with the only woodpeckers have been reported in date.

## Hudson Maru REACHES NEW YORK

New York Feb. 28.—The Japanese steamer Hudson Maru which was captured on Jan. 9 by the mysterious German war raider in South American waters arrived here today from Japan. The commander characterized the reports that the raider was the "Amatsu" as wild.

Not one of the 237 prisoners were able to tell her identity. He claimed they were kept up in small groups and not allowed to communicate with each other. This much is known. The steamer was a large cargo vessel of 5,000 tons and she was equipped with two guns and two torpedo tubes. She had two masts one funnel and could make 13 knots.

The Hudson Maru was held in the harbor for a week after her capture during which time Captain Fukushima was four vessels sunk there were six other captives of merchant vessels prisoners aboard the raider.

## COLD SPELL HARDENS ICE

The cold spell that followed the warm weather of Tuesday has hardened the ice in the river and creek and made traffic across the river today much better than it was Tuesday.

When the ice had softened to a considerable extent the heavy rainfall of Monday night caused a flood on top of the ice which made it difficult the next day. This morning found it possible to skate again on the river and creek as the cold spell of the night had frozen the water that covered the ice.

Although the ice was soft Tuesday it did not prevent passenger and freight traffic across the river. Passenger sleighs meet all trains on the east side of the river. The sleighs near Turkey's planing mill in Poughkeepsie. Winter's express is running a freight service across the river in charge of Tom Stenson. Mr. Stenson said this morning that the cold weather of Tuesday night had made traffic easier.

## The Libels' Accounting

A short hearing was had on Tuesday afternoon before Surrogate Gill in the matter of the final accounting of the Dr. Charles H. Roberts estate. Harry C. Barker testified as to certain expenditures made since the last distribution and an adjournment was taken until April 7 and in the meantime counsel for the different interested parties will get together and come to an agreement upon certain items.

## Captain Jack Crawford Dead

By Telegram to The Freeman  
New York Feb. 28.—John Wallace Crawford—Captain Jack—the poet—died at his home here today. He was chief of scouts under General Custer succeeding Buffalo Bill and was well known for his poems of prohibition and preparedness. He was 70 years old and died from pneumonia.

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## MAJOR CHANDLER HOME THIS WEEK

Brigade Adjutant Will be in Kingston Thursday and Friday Leaving Saturday to Accompany Governor Whitman and Staff to Inauguration at Washington.

Major George Chandler, attached to Brigadier General Foster's staff at McAllen Texas for the last eight months has arrived in New York where he reported at division headquarters on February 27. Major Chandler joined his husband there Tuesday. The Major was mustered out of the federal service on the border of Cuba and has been especially detailed to accompany Governor Whitman to Washington to attend the inauguration of President Wilson next Monday.



MAJOR GEORGE CHANDLER

In the party beside the Governor will be Major General John I. O'Day in division commander. Major Edward Olmsted, assistant chief of staff and Major Chandler. They will leave New York City in Governor Whitman's private car on Sunday for Washington and will return on Tuesday. Major Chandler is expected to arrive in Kingston tomorrow for the inauguration on Saturday. He will return to resume his duties on Wednesday, March 7. The Major has been exempted from duty with the Tenth regiment and expects to remain home for a month. Brigadier General James W. Foster whose adjutant Major Chandler was is now on his way to Washington from the border. Major Chandler is a person of friend of Governor Whitman and it was at the latter's request that the Kingston of three was detailed on the trip to the inauguration.

## TWO CONTRACTS IN ULSTER FOR 1917

By Telegram to The Freeman  
Albany Feb. 28.—State Architect Lewis J. Pfeiffer in his annual report to the legislature Tuesday reviewed all building construction work, both by contract and state institution labor for the nine months year ending June 30. The state architect says he has advised the holding in abeyance of all construction except where absolutely necessary to provide accommodations for increased population in state institutions especially in insane hospitals charitable institutions and prisons because of the increase in the price of all building materials and labor. Legislative appropriations fully sufficient under normal conditions have been entirely inadequate for construction along desired and contemplated lines. Mr. Pfeiffer believes these conditions will prevail for several years and that this situation must be faced by the legislature in making appropriations for needed improvements.

Chapter 640 laws of 1916 authorized \$12,000 for an addition to the New Tarry Normal School at New Paltz. It was planned to provide an assembly hall or study room seating 400 pupils and an auditorium seating 120 persons and such number of recitation rooms as the commissioner of education may deem proper. Preliminary study has been started by the state architect and a preparation of the required plans and specifications will follow.

Contract for \$10,210 were made for structural steel iron and stair towers from Liverpool. She brought a large number of passengers including among them Dr. Henry Van Dyke resigned American minister to The Netherlands and Senator-elect Frederick Hale of Maine who has been studying war conditions.

## England Arrives at New York

New York Feb. 28.—The American liner Finland last of the passenger line of the Stars and Stripes arrived here safely today from Liverpool. She brought a large number of passengers including among them Dr. Henry Van Dyke resigned American minister to The Netherlands and Senator-elect Frederick Hale of Maine who has been studying war conditions.

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## HOY DEMANDS THAT DEATHS BE AVENGED

By Telegram to The Freeman  
Washington Feb. 28.—A cable from Austin A. Hoy calling upon the United States to avenge the deaths of his mother Mrs. Mary Hoy and his sister Miss Elizabeth Hoy on the submerged Laconia reached Washington from London today.

He addressed it to President Wilson and said that unless the United States acted he would fight against Germany under another flag. The text of the message was: "I am an American citizen representing the Sullivan Machinery Company of Chicago living abroad not as an expatriate but for the promotion of American trade. I love the flag believing its significance. My beloved mother and sister passengers on the Laconia have been foully murdered on the high seas. As an American citizen outraged and as such fully within my rights as an American son and brother bereaved I call upon my government to preserve its citizens self respect and save others of my countrymen from such deep grief as I now feel. I am of military age able to fight. If my country can do me justice these brutal assassins I am at the rail. If it stifles my manhood and my nation's by remaining passive under outrage I shall seek a man's chance under another flag."

Heavy Tone in Stock Market  
New York Feb. 28.—After a full day's trading at the opening of the stock market today a heavy tone developed with nearly all the important issues offered at concessions and declines ranging around a point was numerous. Steel Common 105 1/2 and then dropped to 105 1/4. High Valley declined 1 1/4 to 70 1/4. Industrial Alcohol dropped 1 1/2 to 12 1/2 and General Motor 1 1/2 to 31 1/2. New Haven opened down 1/4 at 47 1/2 and fractional losses were sustained in other railway issues. Marine Pfd opened 1/2 at 71 1/2 and then declined to 70 1/2. Colorado Fuel and Iron declined 1 1/2 to 45 1/2 and American Locomotive exceptionally well held with Utah opening up 1/2 at 110 1/4. Anaconda and Kennecott also made small gains.

## FORESTRY TALK AT HIGH SCHOOL

J. Fred Baker will deliver a talk on forestry at the high school auditorium this evening under the auspices of the Rotary Club and as part of the Boy Scout movement.

Mr. Baker's subject is timely and is particularly important to the people of Ulster county which is rapidly becoming denuded of its forests. The lumber industry in Ulster county formerly was an important factor but it has practically disappeared and nothing has been done to create it or to supply the deficiency. Ulster county for years has regarded the lumber supply as practically inexhaustible and the care which has enabled European countries to preserve their forests and continue the lumber industry has been entirely missing here.

The Boy Scouts have taken up the subject of forestry in connection with their other useful activities and it is hoped to have trees planted in Ulster county in large numbers during the coming year. This work probably will be aided by the Boy Scouts but they will need the active cooperation of their elders. The importance of the work already has appealed to many people throughout the county and particularly in this city and a large attendance of every one interested in forestry is expected at the high school auditorium this evening.

## SOISIS AND DEAR POTATOES

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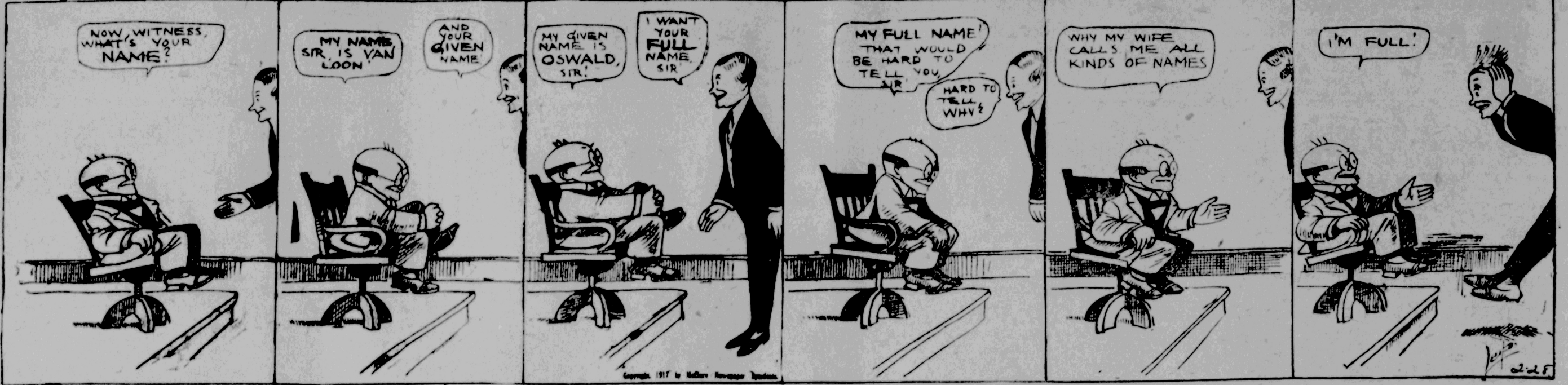
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The woman gads about all day and at the last minute rushes to the telephone to order food supplies in case of going to market, said Mrs. Bier. The result is high prices for food. The woman crabbled from her days running around Hubbs—more at the food bills. The result is an argument. Both get angry. Husband goes out, slamming the door and enters one where they are sitting on loose hinges. He stays home in the morning. There is a severe marital collision and the house is wrecked. Some women have too much "souse" for that in the head.



By F. Leipzig

Doings of the Van Loons—And at that Father likely put it very mildly



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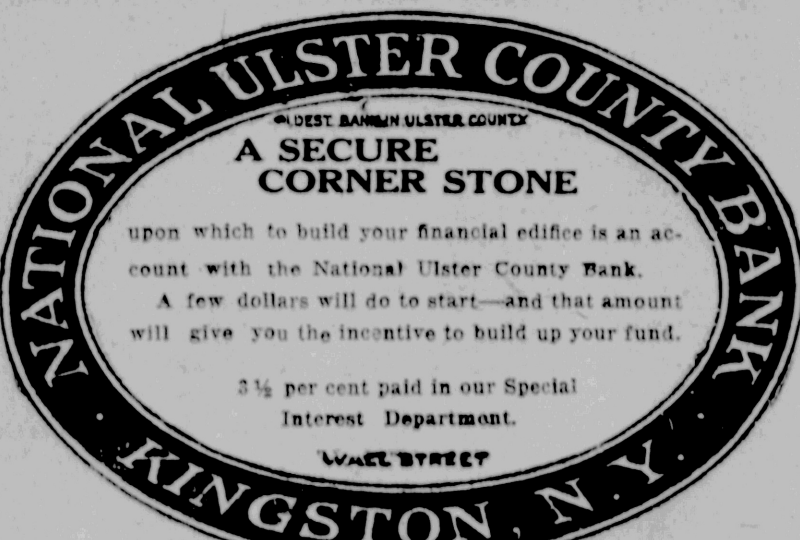
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## CORDTS HOSE CO. REMEMBERS LADIES

Who Assisted Them in Making the Recent Fair a Social and Financial Success and Entertained the Women at a Supper and Dance.

The boys of Cordts Hose Company always appreciate whatever is done for them, as was amply proven Tuesday evening at the engine rooms on Delaware avenue, when the fire ladies entertained the women who had assisted them in making the recent fair a social and financial success at a supper and dance, and the affair was one of the most enjoyable social affairs held in some time.

Dancing started at 8 o'clock and the lower floor of the engine house presented a gay sight. The music for dancing was furnished by Schick's orchestra, who also furnished the music for dancing during the fair.

Shortly after 9 o'clock supper was served in the parlors upstairs where long tables had been laid.

The following menu was served:  
Olives, Pickles, Individual Steak, Potato Salad, Salade Concombre, French Rolls, Neapolitan Ice Cream, Assorted Cakes, Coffee.

The supper was arranged by the following committee who received a vote of thanks for their efficient work: John Williams, John Schiller, Alderman George A. Leverich, Harry Love and William Leete.

One delightful feature of the affair from a newspaper man's standpoint was the fact that no time was wasted after supper with oratory but the diners descended to the first floor and resumed dancing.

The women who assisted the fire boys and for whom the supper and dance was given were:  
Fancy Booth—Mrs. Chas. Lahl, Jr., Miss Mae L. Carey, Miss Tessa M. Gellert, Miss Matilda Leverich, Miss Louise Leete, Miss Ida Osterlander, Mrs. Jas. Lawrence, Mrs. Frank Elmendorf, Mrs. John Williams, Mrs. Wm. Conklin, Mrs. Fred Leverich, Mrs. Chas. Nickerson, Mrs. Ralph Nickerson, Miss Helen Elmendorf.

Refreshment Booth—Miss Elizabeth Staples, Mrs. M. B. Carey, Mrs. Mollie Lange, Mrs. Wm. Straley, Mrs. Geo. Kent, Miss Kathryn Dugan, Mrs. John Kolts, Miss Rose Schiller, Mrs. Geo. A. Leverich, Miss Thelma Blackwell.

Apron Booth—Mrs. John R. Tammany, Mrs. John Osterhout, Mrs. F. W. Meot, Mrs. John Kain, Mrs. W. N. Gill, Mrs. W. P. Crane, Mrs. Edward Heppner, Mrs. Barbara Drautz, Mrs. Chas. Schleede, Mrs. Geo. Planthaber, Mrs. J. L. Salzmann.

ALLABEN.  
Allaben, Feb. 28.—Mrs. Frank Benjamin died Friday morning after a long and painful illness at her sister's, Mrs. Charles Hommel's. The funeral was held from the Shandaken M. E. Church Sunday at 2 o'clock. The interment was in the Coons cemetery. The Ladies' Aid Society attended the funeral in a body, and also sang three of her favorite hymns. Quite a few out of town people attended the funeral.

Mrs. Charles Clearwater made a business trip to Kingston last Friday. Dr. and Mrs. Brown of the mountain school were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard F. Pearsall last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Keator of Weehawken, N. J., and William Risley of Stamford, N. Y., were guests of their father, Edmund Risley, the week end.

Miss Rebecca Martin of Kingston was a guest of Mrs. DeWitt Van Buren at Shandaken last Saturday and Sunday.

The Allaben Sewing Circle will meet with Mrs. G. F. Van Keuren this week Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Garrety of Shandaken were in Kingston last week.

Mabel M. Van Keuren of Kingston was a guest of Mrs. DeWitt Van Buren at Shandaken last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Alonzo Winne and daughter of Ashokan were week end guests of Peter Winne.

George Yerry, Jr., and Elizabeth Pearsall, students of Kingston high school, spent their vacation with their parents in this place last week.

Quite a few flags are waving, to show the patriotism of Allaben. The Neighbors' Club was well attended again Saturday evening at the Glenbrook Hotel. Mr. and Mrs. Marsans are considered by all to be most excellent entertainers.

Joseph Yerry had the misfortune to break the crank case in his Overland car Sunday while making a trip to Woodland.

Mrs. Hiram Whipple is quite ill at her home on Allaben Heights.

THE VLY.

The Vly, Feb. 28.—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Sunday. All come out as our superintendent wishes to see a large crowd.

The entertainment held at the school house Friday afternoon was quite well attended and we wish to thank the Misses LaVain, Palen and Mace Bush for the lovely time, as they were the committee. A lovely afternoon was spent. Our teacher, Rose Osterhout, recited some very interesting recitations which kept all laughing. After the entertainment, many of the guests called on Mrs. Krom, as she is quite sick at this time.

Wesley Burger and James Van DeMark called on Lewis Deputy one day last week.

Miss Metta Bush of this place has left for a position which she has at Ossining. We wish her success and hope that she will be pleased with her place. Miss Bush has been organist here for some time and will be greatly missed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Jansen, Mr. and Mrs. Warner Osterhout and sister, Mrs. Townsend, also Mr. and Mrs. Hattie Trowbridge were the guests of Mrs. Wesley Burger and family Saturday evening for supper. After supper solos were sung by Mrs. Irving Jansen and Mrs. Hattie Trowbridge. Mrs. Jansen played different selections on the organ. All reported having a fine time, and returned home around midnight.

Many from this place attended the auction held at Floyd Oakley's Saturday afternoon. A large crowd was present.

The horse and sleigh which was at Luther Trowbridge's nearly two weeks, was claimed by the owner, Mr. Myers, who came and got them a few days ago.

Mrs. Ada Bush, Della Christiansa, Jack Christiansa and Jerome Terwilliger and children attended the party at Arch Trowbridge's.

ALLIGERVILLE.  
Alligerville, Feb. 27.—Mrs. Chase has moved into rooms in the house of Miss Emma Harnden.

Frank Warren has moved from the Schoonmaker cottage onto the Terwilliger farm.

John Hendrickson, Jr., will move into the Garrison cottage.

Harry Krom and mother of Briar Cliff are spending two weeks at their home here.

Joseph Bogart is renovating his recently purchased home preparatory to moving into the same.

Virgil Bogart will move into his new house as soon as vacated. The present occupants, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, will move into rooms now occupied by the Hendrickses.

Myron Deputy will move from the Garrison cottage into the Krom cottage.

The proceeds of the men's supper on the night of the 22nd, were \$11.34. The committee in charge wish to thank one and all who in any way helped to make it a success. Friends and neighbors of Mrs. M. A. Weeks are glad to have her again at home.

MOHONK LAKE.  
Mohonk Lake, Feb. 28.—There were a number from this place at the turkey supper at Alligerville on Washington's birthday.

Mrs. A. E. Weaver and son, Roland, spent from Thursday until Monday with relatives at Clintondale.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Rutherford spent Saturday and Sunday at Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Clearwater entertained a friend from out of town the past week.

Harry Delamater spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives at Kingston.

The Misses Dorothy Goethius of New Paltz and Effie Miner of Highland spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rice.

Mr. Evans spent Sunday evening at his home at Alligerville.

A. E. Weaver spent Saturday afternoon and Sunday at the home of his parents, at Clintondale.

Mr. Wasson spent Saturday afternoon and Sunday at his home at Alligerville.

Mrs. Marlon Sheeley, who has been spending some time out of town, returned to her home Saturday.

Charles Reinhardt spent Saturday and Sunday at his home at New Paltz.

Daily Thought.  
He travels safe and not unpleasantly who is guarded by poverty and guided by love.—Sir Philip Sidney.

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Feeding Straw to Cattle.  
In effect, a recent bulletin of the United States department of agriculture asks why the American farmer cannot put straw to the same use as it is put by the European farmer. In Europe the farmer knows as well as the American farmer that straw is not liked by stock, but instead of burning it, or otherwise wasting it, the European farmer chops it up, mixes it with feeds, and makes it so palatable that it can be fed to good advantage.

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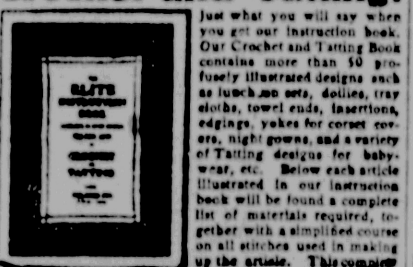
1872—Dress for Misses and Small Women—A Becoming, Youthful Model.

This style is especially suitable for soft fabrics, such as voile, gabardine, nun's veiling and satin. It is also nice for taffeta, velour, crepe and crepe de chine. The style is simple but attractive. The waist portions are joined to yoke sections, and the right front overlaps the left at the closing. The sleeve may be in wrist length, finished with a band cuff and frill, or in elbow length, with a flare cuff extension. The pattern is in 3 sizes: 16, 18 and 20 years. It requires 8 1/2 yards of 36 inch material for a 16 year size. The skirt measures 3 yards at the foot.

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## THE KITCHEN CABINET

May we have the wit to discover what is true and the fortitude to practice what is good.

OPENING CHESTNUT BUR.

The chestnut with its own delicacy of flavor is a great favorite everywhere it may be obtained, and countless are the ways in which it may appear to give fresh delight to the palate.

Cream of Chestnut Soup.—Remove the outer shell from the nut and cover with boiling water; as the water cools slip off the brown skin from the nuts. Cook a quart of the blanched meats in sufficient water to cover until quite tender; add, while cooking, one small onion, three stalks of celery, a small blade of mace and a bay leaf. When the nuts are tender mash them through a puree sieve; return to the fire, add two quarts of white stock, a teaspoonful of salt, half a teaspoonful of paprika and a pint of hot milk. When the soup boils, draw it back on the stove and add two beaten egg yolks, mixed with a half cupful of sweet cream. Have ready in the tureen a tablespoonful of finely minced chervil; pour in the hot soup and serve at once.

Chestnuts are excellent simply cooked until tender and served in a rich white sauce, or mashed with butter, salt, and pepper and served as a vegetable they are especially appetizing.

Brussels sprouts and chestnuts are a favored combination. Cook the sprouts until tender, add the nuts, roasted until tender, and serve in a thick cream sauce. Sprouts and chestnuts served with French dressing makes a nice salad to serve with game.

Chestnuts with lentils as a vegetable or as a soup is another good combination.

Chestnut croquettes are a delicacy not largely enjoyed. Serve with lemon quarters and parsley.

Chestnut Entree.—Mash a pound of roasted chestnuts to a paste; add half a cupful of thick, sweet cream, a teaspoonful of chopped parsley, and two well-beaten eggs; pour into buttered timbale cups and set in a pan of hot water to bake in the oven 25 minutes. Remove from the molds and serve with a cream sauce or a tomato sauce.

Cooked chestnuts served in a rich lemon sirup are delicious served with ice cream.

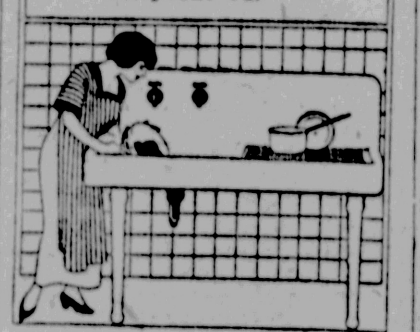
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IN EFFECT SEPT. 10, 1916.

Trains are due to leave this city as follows:  
Rondout Sta., 10:30 a. m., 12:15 p. m.  
Union Sta., 11:00 a. m., 12:45 p. m.  
Trains are due to arrive as follows:  
Union Sta., 11:30 a. m., 1:15 p. m.  
Rondout Sta., 11:55 a. m., 1:40 p. m.  
Daily except Sunday. Sunday only.

## ULSTER COUNTY Savings Institution

280 Wall Street, Kingston, N. Y. INCORPORATED 1861.

E. H. LOUGHERAN, President.  
HARRY R. BRIGHAM, CHARLES S. WOOD, Vice-Presidents.  
J. M. SCHAEFFER, Secretary.  
JOHN B. ALLIGER, Treasurer.  
JAMES J. O'CONNOR, Teller.  
JOHN R. T. HALL, Bookkeeper.  
PHILIP ELTING, Attorney.

TRUSTEES:  
John B. Alliger, G. D. B. Hasbrouck, H. R. Brigham, B. H. Loughran, David Burgevin, John L. McGrath, Howard Chipp, J. M. Schaeffer, Philip Elting, William C. Shafer, George Hutton, S. Wood, Ogden F. Winsa.

For the six months ending Dec. 31st, 1916, interest was credited Jan. 1st, 1917, at 4 per cent per annum.

Interest not drawn will be added to the principal and draw interest. Money deposited on or before March 3rd and remaining in the bank until July 1st, 1917, will be credited with four (4) months' interest.

Women and children under age have by law the control of their own saving bank accounts. Persons living out of the city may send money by bank draft, check, post office order or express, and deposit book will be returned by mail. ALL BUSINESS STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL.

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V. B. VAN WAGONEN, Treasurer.  
CHARLES TAPPEN, Assistant Treasurer.  
CHARLES H. DE LAVERGNE, Assistant Treasurer.  
HARRY ENSIGN, Accountant.  
JAMES A. BETTS, Counsel.

TRUSTEES:  
James A. Betts, George Burgevin, Zadoc F. Bole, Levan R. Winsa, Everett Fowler, D. N. Mathews, John E. Kraft, Sam Bernsten, Charles Tappen, A. D. Rose, Myron Teller, Virgil B. Van Wagone, Ervin E. Norwood.

Deposits made on or before March 2, 1917, and remaining in bank until July 1, 1917, will be credited with four (4) months' interest. Interest will be paid on all sums from one dollar to three thousand dollars.

Accounts may be opened by mail for which a bank book will be forwarded on receipt of New York draft, certified check, postoffice or express money order.

Rooms for the convenience of ladies are a feature of the banking house.

Interest at the rate of 4% per annum was declared for six months ending December 31, 1916.

## THE RONDOUT Savings Bank

RONDOUT, N. Y.

OFFICERS:  
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T. C. COYNE, Vice-President.  
F. H. GRIFFITHS, 2nd Vice-President.  
DAYTON MURRAY, Secretary.  
HERBERT HALL, Bookkeeper.

TRUSTEES:  
John D. Schoonmaker, Coykendall, F. Stephen, Jr., John S. Thompson, F. H. Griffiths, A. A. Stora, Wesley D. Hale, T. C. Coykendall, J. Graham Rose, H. H. Fleming, Nicholas Stock.

Interest will be paid on all sums from \$5 to \$5,000. Interest at the rate of 4 per cent per annum was declared for six months ending December 31, 1916.

Deposits made on or before January 1 and July 1 will not be entitled to interest. Deposits commencing to draw interest from the first of each month.

All deposits made on or before the 10th day of January and July draw interest from the first days of those months. Banking hours from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m. Saturdays 9 a. m. to 12 m.



## MRS. DIMMICK'S WILL IS FILED

St. James's M. E. Church to Receive \$15,000. Hospital, Industrial Home, Library, Y. M. C. A. and D. A. R. Each Receive \$1,000.

The will of Mrs. Mary O. Dimmick, widow of the late Samuel G. Dimmick, was filed with Surrogate Gill in the surrogate's court today by Judge Betts, counsel for F. J. R. Clarke, the executor named in the will, and a citation for its probate was issued returnable April 3.

The will disposes of an estate of upward of \$55,000, of which amount \$20,000 is bequeathed to charitable and philanthropic purposes; \$15,000 is bequeathed to a nephew of her late husband; \$2,000 is bequeathed to two cousins; \$4,000 in cash is bequeathed to friends and others who are not related; \$200 is bequeathed in trust for the perpetual care of her burial lot; \$2,000 is bequeathed for a monument on her burial plot; personal belongings and heirlooms are bequeathed to eleven friends not related, and the balance is bequeathed to Mrs. Anna DuBois DeLaVerne, wife of Charles H. DeLaVerne, who is a second cousin.

Mrs. Dimmick left but few near relatives. Nineteen next of kin are named in the citation. The total number of beneficiaries under the will is twenty-nine.

After providing for the payment of her debts and funeral expenses, Mrs. Dimmick bequeaths the sum of \$500 each to her friends, Mrs. Lillian F. Westbrook, widow of John S. Westbrook; Mrs. Julia C. Parrott and Miss Jane Amelia Westbrook. To her cousin, Mary M. Osterhout, daughter of Frastus Osterhout of Flatbush, and to her cousin, Rachel Osterhout, also of Flatbush, she bequeaths the sum of \$1,000 each. To William W. Dimmick, son of Perez Dimmick, of Ossining, N. Y., a nephew of her deceased husband, she bequeaths a blue and white homespun bedspread, a Sheffield plate silver set and tray, and the sum of \$15,000.

To William Griffin, Pearl Every and Frances O'Brien, who have been connected with her household for some time, she bequeaths the sum of \$500 each.

Members of Mrs. Dimmick's immediate circle of friends are remembered with personal belongings as follows:

To Mrs. Jennie Romer Teller, a candelabra and silver tray under the same; Queen Ann mirror and writing desk.

To Myron Teller, best mahogany table now in the dining room on the lower floor, for use during his life, and after his death the same to be given to his daughter, Mrs. Marion Abbott.

To Mrs. Marion Abbott of Utica, N. Y., three candelabra on the front room mantle on the lower floor; a full set of coral jewelry and the best kirmansha rug.

To Mrs. Jane Bruyn of Englewood, N. J., an oil painting of roses by Mrs. Julia Dillon; best silk rug and three candelabra on the dining room mantle.

To Mrs. Carrie Chipp Lawrence and her second daughter, Mildred Lawrence, three candelabra and sewing basket which were purchased of Mrs. Lawrence.

To Mrs. Elizabeth Post, widow of Charles Post, sable collar and muff; traveling bag that was bought in London, England, and Persian lamb coat, stole and muff.

To Mrs. Olivia M. Betts, wife of Judge Betts, solitaire diamond ring.

To Mrs. Ella Baldwin Osterhout, the old banjo clock in the room of the testatrix.

To Mrs. Jessie L. Drake, the set of white table dollys and centerpiece in the case that she gave to the testatrix.

To Mrs. Anna V. V. Kenyon, a large solitaire diamond ring.

To Frederick J. R. Clarke the sum of \$1,000 in addition to his statutory fees and commissions as executor.

Charitable and philanthropic objects are remembered as follows:

To the City of Kingston Hospital, to the Industrial Home of the City of Kingston, to the Kingston City Library, to the Young Men's Christian Association of Kingston, and to Wiltwyck Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, the sum of \$1,000 each. The bequest to Wiltwyck Chapter, D. A. R., is to be used to pay or reduce the mortgage on its chapter house, but any balance remaining is to belong to the chapter.

The monuments or headstones now on the burial plot of the testatrix in Wiltwyck Rural Cemetery, being the plot in which her parents are buried, are directed to be removed, and the executor is directed to erect a new monument on the plot, suitably inscribed to the memory of the testatrix and of those now buried in the plot, which monument is to cost not more than \$2,000. It is the wish of the testatrix that she be buried in said plot. The sum of \$200 is bequeathed to the trustees of Wiltwyck Rural Cemetery Association, the interest and income of which is to be used for the care and preservation of the burial plot.

The sum of \$15,000 is bequeathed to the trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Church of the City of Kingston, commonly known as St. James's Methodist Episcopal Church of the City of Kingston. Both Mrs. Dimmick and her husband were active members of this church for many years. She requests that the trustees of the church hold such principal sum inviolate; to invest the same in safe securities and collect the interest and income therefrom and to apply such interest and income as follows: The interest and income on \$10,000 thereof to securing good and appropriate music for

church services; the interest and income on \$2,000 thereof to the Sunday school; the interest and income on \$3,000 thereof to the care and preservation of the parsonage.

All the residue and remainder of the estate, real and personal, is given by Mrs. Dimmick to her friend, Mrs. Anna DuBois De La Verne of Clinton avenue.

Frederick J. R. Clarke is appointed executor. The will was executed January 9, 1915, and witnessed by Judge Betts and Christopher Snyder. The probate affidavit accompanying the petition and will states that the value of the real estate is \$5,500 and the value of the personal property is upwards of \$50,000. Judge Betts is attorney for the executor.

### SOCIETY NOTES.

Mrs. Benjamin Silkworth of Manor avenue entertained in honor of her aunt, Mrs. Isaiah J. Wager, of Alberta, Canada, Mrs. George Silkworth, Mrs. R. S. Bardin, and Mrs. Emmett Silkworth. A very pleasant time was enjoyed by all.

A very delightful surprise was tendered Miss Marjorie Dutcher on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. James Pirie, 168 Tremper avenue. About twenty young people were present and the evening was spent in making merry. Some good music was also enjoyed. Delicious refreshments were served during the evening and the affair broke up at a late hour.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Brinnier, Jr., of Downs street entertained a party of young folks on Tuesday night. The evening was spent in dancing and dainty refreshments were served and all departed voting their host and hostess royal entertainers. Those present were the Misses Katherine Peleman, Edna Horton, Ruth Bushnell and Ruth Ashley and the Messrs. Raymond Smith, Frank Campbell, Parker Brinnier and Gus Brinnier.

Little Paulina Sutton of 27 Cedar street entertained fifteen of her little friends Saturday afternoon last. Games and music were enjoyed and refreshments were served. They all departed declaring Pauline a gracious little hostess. Those who were present were the Misses Loretta Macholdt, Hyler Baker, Florence Van Tassel, Ethel Osterhout, Ruth Shuler, Violet Hill, Gertrude Glass, Eliza Flanigan, Lillian Coffin, Bessie Sampson, Mae and Evelyn Harmst and Little Emma Sutton and Masters George Macholdt, Harold Macholdt and Gilbert Sampson.

### D. A. R. Meeting.

All members of Wiltwyck Chapter, D. A. R., are reminded of the regular monthly meeting to be held at the Chapter House tomorrow, Thursday afternoon at three o'clock. A very pleasing program has been arranged.

### Lowell Club.

The Lowell Club held its regular meeting this week at the home of the president, Mrs. Bruyn, on Main street. Mrs. Thornberry had the paper for the day, following the roll call of "Some of Scott's Heroines." The subject of Mrs. Thornberry's paper was "Sir Walter Scott," which was most admirably presented. Readings were given from "The Lady of the Lake," by Mrs. Cole, and Mrs. Witter gave readings of poems from Scott's fiction. Next week the club will meet with Mrs. Van Buren.

### Shufeldt-Russell.

Augustus Shufeldt, a well known and popular member of the Ulster county bar, and member of the law firm of Jenkins & Shufeldt, and Miss Dorothy Jean Russell, of this city, were quietly married this morning at the parsonage of the Reformed Church of the Comforter by the pastor, the Rev. Wilbur F. Stowe. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Shufeldt. Mr. and Mrs. Shufeldt have a host of friends who wish them a long and prosperous married life. After a short wedding trip west they will reside in this city.

### ST. REMY.

St. Remy, Feb. 28.—Henry DeGraff has a new horse.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Krom and son, Clarence, of Palenville, were guests of Clarence Freer and family on Sunday.

Mrs. Irving von Beck is spending some time in New York city.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cole were guests of Cline Frost and family in Kingston on Sunday.

Miss Parker has started the physical training exercises in the public school.

Miss Serena DeGraff gave a party in honor of her birthday last Wednesday, February 1. The occasion was much enjoyed by all present.

Mrs. M. F. Deyo has a fine display of lilies in bloom and also some very pretty hyacinths.

Mrs. S. G. Haines, Mrs. William Beahler, Miss Harriet Carman, Samuel Carman and Charles Beahler were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Sahler at Ulster Park last Thursday.

Earl Roosa and son, Robert, and mother, Mrs. E. Roosa of Ulster Park spent Sunday with Charles York and family.

Young Folks to Hold Social.

Something new in the social line will be inaugurated this evening at the local Y. M. C. A. when a young folks social will be held at the building under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Societies of the Albany Avenue Baptist Church and the First Presbyterian Church and the social committee of the association. This social is free to every young person and young folks society in the city. An interesting program has been arranged and refreshments will be served. Another social will be arranged for March.

### KYSERIKE.

Kyserike, Feb. 28.—Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Blanshan are receiving congratulations over the arrival of a daughter, born February 19.

Isaac Davis has sold his railroad ties to Philetus Hendricks.

The auction at Floyd Oakley's was well attended and everything was sold.

## FORESTRY PROVED ASSET FOR STATE

Prof. J. Fred Baker Gives Interesting Talk Before Rotary Club at Luncheon—Stereopticon Lecture at High School Tonight.

Rotarians, under whose auspices Prof. J. Fred Baker of the Syracuse College of Forestry will speak tonight in the high school auditorium, had the pleasure of listening to this authority on the subject at the weekly luncheon today at the West Shore Hotel. President Willis Hills presided and there was some business of letter-reading with the usual singing in evidence.

Plans were made for an informal welcome for Major George Chandler, who is booked to arrive in Kingston on the West Shore train due here about 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon. Reports from the Binghamton (pronounced Beamington by the delegates) meet were read with dramatic criticism and plans for the Atlanta convention next June at which Kingston will be represented, two going by land and four by sea if ocean travel is not a lost art by that time.

Water Commissioner John Hauck, a new member, was introduced and received with that cordiality peculiar to Rotary.

When it came down to sawing wood, President Hills introduced Professor Baker who gave a quarter of an hour exposition of some of the basic principles of scientific forestry, the history of the work and conditions in New York state and the direct and indirect results and their immense value to the commonwealth. Professor Baker was most cordially received.

### Business of the State.

Beginning with the economic aspects of forestry, the speaker discussed the advantages and disadvantages of private municipal, corporation and national or state ownership of forests. While he commended some of the results obtained under private ownership, he declared that it was clumsy and further that reforestation, or forest growing, did not appeal to the private investor chiefly because of the length of time required before any return could be realized. When it is considered, he said, that 45 years is necessary to elapse before a white pine seedling can develop to its first cutting, and from 95 to 125 years for the oak tree to develop from the acorn, this phase of the problem was apparent.

Privately owned forests were expensive, he held, citing the old proverb that "the who by the plow would thrive, himself must either hold or drive." That truth applied to forestry and the experience at Biltmore and other places, where others had to be hired to do the work, had shown that it was difficult to show any actual cash returns on such investments.

### Many Valuable Results.

For the state and federal governments, the proposition is different as here there are so many advantages to be derived, foremost among these being the public health which is served through the providing of recreation centers, the protection of watersheds and the prevention of floods. Each point was illustrated by the speaker who also touched upon the moderation of temperature secured by the presence of forest growth and the increase in humidity, the abundance of rainfall and other conservation of natural resources.

How the forest floor, or "duff," as the foresters style the rotted leaves and mold, retains the moisture and prevents floods was mentioned together with the constancy of water supply thus brought about through the dry seasons. The value of navigation alone was tremendous, the speaker stated.

### Game Revenues Largest.

Most interesting were Professor Baker's comments on the work in Germany and France where forestry has advanced with such great strides. Contrary to common belief, he said, the greatest revenue comes from the state forests in those countries from the game produced and sold therefrom. In this connection, he cited the six millions of acres of land in New York state and the present state debt approximating \$47.50 to each acre. In Zurich, Switzerland, the large municipal forest brings in a return of from \$5 to \$12 an acre each year.

America has a great advantage over Europe in the number of its tree species, the varieties of its oak numbering 54; pine, 36 and spruce, 7. In Europe there is one chief variety of pine which, however, is in great demand. He mentioned the problem of fuel and the belief of many persons that wood may again be called to play an important part in its solution. Peat fuel, such as is coming into use through Europe, will soon be called upon for such purpose in this country he believes.

### Transportation a Factor.

Transportation is one great factor in forestry. In this state with its numerous roads, there is a great opportunity for the elimination of waste in tree-cutting. In the hills adjacent to Kingston, and in the Adirondacks as well as the Catskills, the speaker said the roads are of the greatest value in getting all of the useful parts of the tree to the market. An effective contrast in methods of lumbering was cited between this country and Germany where, a pine tree is sold in Munich down to the twigs which go for fuel and the needles which are used in interior decorating material. In this country almost all but the best of the timber taken from the log is wasted.

More scientific methods of fire prevention and of forest taxation will be necessary to bring about a proper development of the science of forestry, much of the present theories being largely paper. Competent labor is another essential in proper lumbering.

Of the origin of the present state conservation policy in respect to forests which, he said, dated back to the State Park Commission legis-

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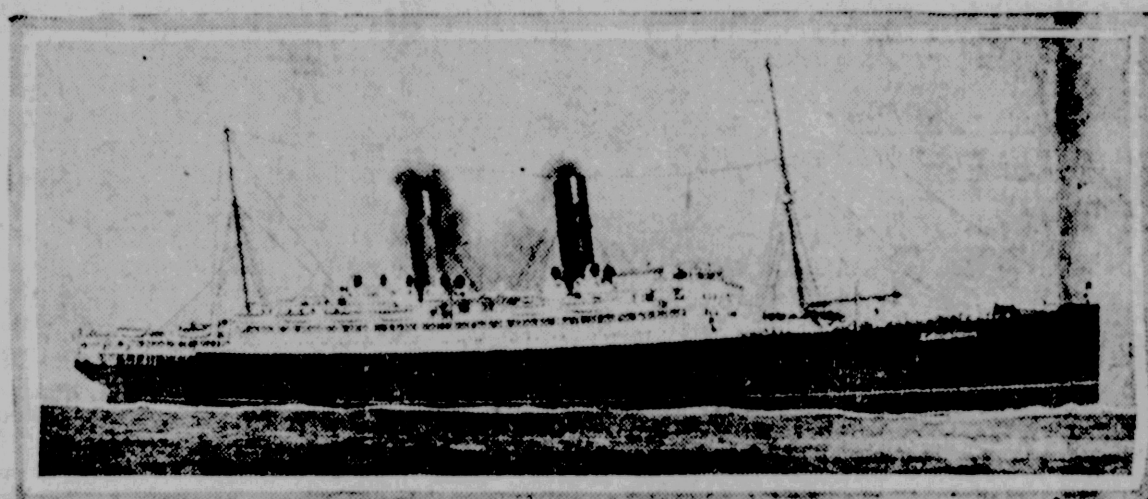
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TEN AMERICANS ON BOARD LACONIA SUNK BY GERMAN U-BOAT

S. S. Laconia.

The Cunard Line steamship Laconia, of 18,999 tons gross, sunk by a German submarine off the Irish coast. Ten Americans are reported to have been among the passengers. It is said that all of the passengers and crew were saved except one. The Laconia left New York for Liverpool on February 18.

### What Are You Worth?

Have you any idea? Did you ever capitalize your wages and figure it out? This is the way to ascertain how much your labor is really worth.

For instance, a man who has saved \$20,000 and invested it at 5 per cent receives an annual income of \$1,000 a year, or about \$20 a week.

The clerk in the office or the workman in the factory who gets \$20 a week therefore receives the income at 5 per cent on an investment of \$20,000.

He is a \$20,000 man—that is, he is getting as much week by week as the man with \$20,000 who depends solely upon the income from his investments and who does not work for a living.

The man who earns \$40 a week has about the same income as the investor with \$40,000 put out at interest at 5 per cent.

So labor is capital. It has a market value. It can be called a commodity because it can be sold by its owner the same as any other possession he may have.—John A. Sletcher in Leslie's.

### Shotguns in War.

That shotguns should be largely utilized in modern warfare is the contention of a number of military experts. It is pointed out that such guns would be particularly useful to sentries at night time, as an intruder might more easily be crippled and captured by a spreading charge of heavy shot than by a single bullet. Moreover, a person moving quickly might often be missed by a shot from a rifle, whereas a snapshot from a shotgun in semidarkness could hardly fail to find its object.

In the trenches shotguns could be used with success. A shotgun loaded with about forty-eight grains of powder and one and a half ounces of big shot, with about twenty-five pellets, would be of much more value than the rifle, as during a night attack, either for attack or defense in semidarkness, a single charge would hardly fail to inflict serious wounds on one or more of the enemy.—Exchange.

### Beautiful South American Tree.

By far the most beautiful of the trees of Uruguay, South America, is the mimosa. This tree is an evergreen, and grows to a height of about forty feet. Even when not in flower it is very handsome, on account of its dark green fernlike leaves and gray-green trunk. The flowers are like little balls of golden-yellow pollen, and they have a sweet scent. They cover the branches of the tree from top to bottom, and at a distance one would almost say the whole thing was made of gold, or had been transplanted from fairyland.

### Handsome Serenity.

"George Washington was never guilty of deception."  
"Maybe not. I don't believe, in fact, that he ever looked like his pictures on our postage stamps. But, of course, he wasn't responsible for them."—Washington Star.



GEORGE M. CHURCH TR. PELL.

EASTERN TENNIS STARS WHO WILL PLAY IN EAST-WEST MATCHES.

George M. Church and T. R. Pell.

Here are two of the eastern tennis stars who will, among others, represent the east in the east again at west tennis matches to take place at Los Angeles March 2. Theodore Roosevelt Pell is on his way west, while George M. Church, who has been playing in the Orient with Harold Throckmorton, will stop off at Los Angeles on his way back. Throckmorton, Frederick B. Alexander and Conrad B. Doyle of Washington will also play on the eastern teams.

### Mean Advice.

Old Gent—On the eve of your marriage let me give you a piece of advice. Remember when your wife's next birthday comes and give her a handsome present.

Young Man—Yes, of course.

"Give her the best you pocket can buy every birthday, but at Christmas, New Year's and such times give her only inexpensive little tokens. Form that habit."

"Yes, but why?"

"It will pay."

"I presume so."

"Yes. In a few years you can begin to forget the birthdays, and she won't say a word."

### Nothing Lost.

"I hear she doesn't like me with a mustache."  
"Going to shave it off, I s'pose?"  
"Oh, no! She never liked me."—Kansas City Journal.

### Unappreciated Gallantry.

Joseph H. Choate, former ambassador to England, always has had strong domestic tendencies, not the least lovable of his many lovable sides being a deep affection for Mrs. Choate. Every one has heard how, when once asked who he would rather be if not himself, he replied, "Mrs. Choate's second husband," but not every one has heard the comment of a certain London hostess when this delightful little bit of sentiment was repeated to her. The joke fell upon stony ground—the fate of so many American witkittens in British lands. "But who is Mrs. Choate's second husband?" asked the matron.—H. Marion Allen in Outlook.

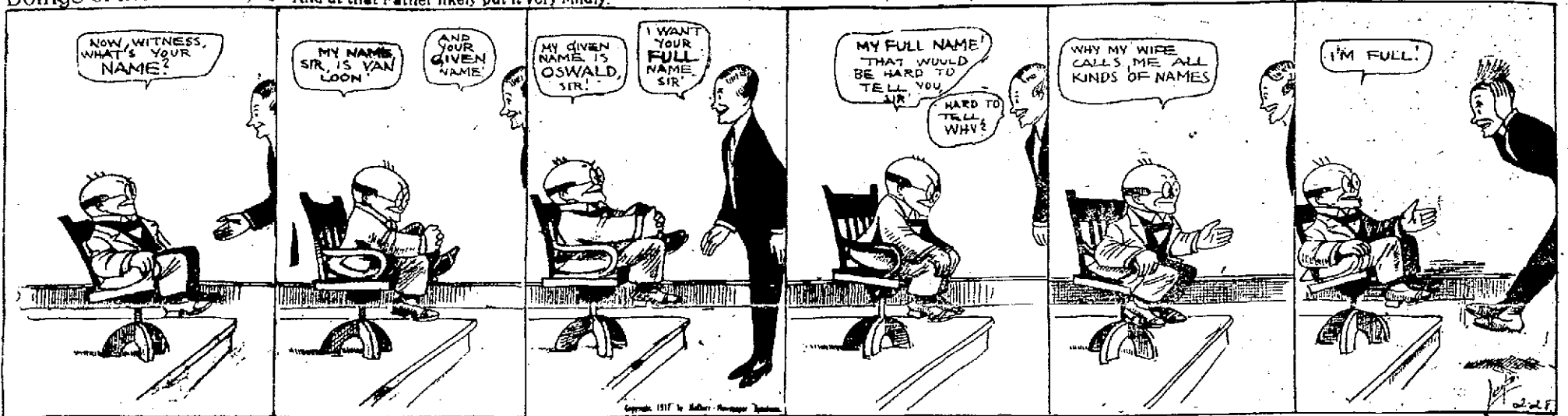
She—Too many men expect their wives to run their homes on practically nothing. They forget that no one can make bricks without straw. He—My wife does out of flour.—London Telegraph.

McENELLY'S  
FRIDAY, MARCH 2



Doings of the Van Loons— And at that Father likely put it very mildly.

By F. Leipziger



IN the long winter evenings, while the wind is whistling and the snow falling out-of-doors, as you sit in your warm room, with lights turned low, what greater pleasure can you have than a snack of crackers and cheese or a sandwich and a bottle of our popular

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## CORDTS HOSE CO. REMEMBERS LADIES

Who Assisted Them in Making the Recent Fair a Social and Financial Success and Entertained the Women at a Supper and Dance.

The boys of Cordts Hose Company always appreciate whatever is done for them, as was amply proven Tuesday evening at the engine rooms on Delaware avenue, when the first ladies entertained the women who had assisted them in making the recent fair a social and financial success at a supper and dance, and the affair was one of the most enjoyable social affairs held in some time.

Dancing started at 8 o'clock and the lower floor of the engine house presented a gay sight. The music for dancing was furnished by Schick's orchestra, who also furnished the music for dancing during the fair. Shortly after 9 o'clock supper was served in the parlors upstairs where long tables had been laid.

The following menu was served:  
Oysters, Pickles  
Individual Steak  
Potato Salad, Solid Cucumbers  
French Rolls  
Neapolitan Ice Cream  
Assorted Cakes  
Coffee

The supper was arranged by the following committee who received a vote of thanks for their efficient work: John Williams, John Schiller, Alderman George A. Leverich, Harry Love and William Leete.

One delightful feature of the affair from a newspaper man's standpoint was the fact that no time was wasted after supper with oratory but the diners descended to the first floor and resumed dancing.

The women who assisted the boys and for whom the supper and dance was given were:  
Fancy Booth—Mrs. Chas. Laht, Jr., Miss Mae L. Carey, Miss Teresa M. Geller, Miss Matilda Leverich, Miss Louise Leete, Miss Ida Ostrander, Mrs. Jas. Lawrence, Mrs. Frank Elmendorf, Mrs. John Williams, Mrs. Wm. Conklin, Mrs. Fred Leverich, Mrs. Chas. Nickerson, Mrs. Ralph Nickerson, Miss Helen Elmendorf.

Fish Pond—Miss Beulah Staples, Miss Mollie Lange, Miss Theresa Schissler, Miss Minnie Planchaber, Miss Marlowe Way, Miss Viola Berry, Miss Ethel Skelton, Miss Ida Conklin, Miss Helen Planchaber.

Refreshment Booth—Miss Elizabeth Staples, Mrs. M. D. Carey, Mrs. Mollie Lange, Mrs. Sherwood Wells, Mrs. John Gees, Mrs. Wm. Straley, Mrs. Geo. Kent, Miss Kathlyn Dugan, Mrs. John Kells, Miss Rose Schissler, Mrs. Geo. A. Leverich, Miss Thelma Blackwell.

Apron Booth—Mrs. John R. Tammany, Mrs. John Osterhout, Mrs. W. Moot, Mrs. John Kain, Mrs. W. N. Gill, Mrs. W. P. Crane, Mrs. Edward Heppner, Mrs. Barbara Drautz, Mrs. Chas. Schleede, Mrs. Geo. Planchaber, Mrs. J. L. Salzmann.

### ALLABEN.

Allaben, Feb. 25.—Mrs. Frank Benjamin died Friday morning after a long and painful illness at her sister's, Mrs. Charles Hommel's. The funeral was held from the Shandaken M. E. Church Sunday at 2 o'clock. The interment was in the Coons cemetery. The Ladies' Aid Society attended the funeral in a body, and also sang three of her favorite hymns. Quite a few out of town people attended the funeral.

Mrs. Charles Clearwater made a business trip to Kingston last Friday. Dr. and Mrs. Brown of the mountain school were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard F. Pearsall last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kester of Weehawken, N. J., and William Risley of Stamford, N. Y., were guests of their father, Edmund Risley, the week end.

Miss Rebecca Martin of Kingston was a guest of Mrs. DeWitt Van Buren at Shandaken last Saturday and Sunday.

The Misses Dorothy Guelphus of New Paltz and Effie Miner of Highland spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rice.

Mr. Evans spent Sunday evening at his home at Alligerville.

A. E. Weaver spent Saturday afternoon and Sunday at the home of his parents, at Clintonville.

Mr. Wasson spent Saturday afternoon and Sunday at his home at Alligerville.

Mrs. Marlon Sheeley, who has been spending some time out of town, returned to her home Saturday.

Charles Reinhardt spent Saturday and Sunday at his home at New Paltz.

school, spent their vacation with their parents in this place last week. Quite a few flags are waving, to show the patriotism of Allaben.

The Neighbors' Club was well attended Saturday evening at the Glenbrook Hotel. Mr. and Mrs. Marsaus are considered by all to be most excellent entertainers.

Joseph Verry had the misfortune to break the crank case in his Overland car Sunday while making a trip to Woodland.

Mrs. Hiram Whispell is quite ill at her home on Allaben Heights.

### THE VLY.

The Vly. Feb. 25.—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Sunday. All come out as our superintendent wishes to see a large crowd.

The entertainment held at the school house Friday afternoon was quite well attended, and we wish to thank the Misses LaVain, Palen and Mace Bush for the lovely time, as they were the committee. A lovely afternoon was spent. Our teacher, Rose Osterhout, recited some very interesting recitations which kept all laughing. After the entertainment, many of the guests called on Mrs. Krom, as she is quite sick at this time.

Wesley Burger and James Van DeMark called on Lewis Deany one day last week.

Miss Mollie Bush of this place has left for a position which she has at Ossining. We wish her success and hope that she will be pleased with her place. Miss Bush has been organist here for some time and will be greatly missed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Jansen, Mr. and Mrs. Warner Osterhout and sister, Mrs. Townsend, also Mr. and Mrs. Hazle Trowbridge were the guests of Mrs. Wesley Burger and family Saturday evening for supper. After supper solos were sung by Mrs. Irving Jansen and Mrs. Hazle Trowbridge. Mrs. Jansen played different selections on the organ. All reported having a fine time, and returned home around midnight.

Many from this place attended the auction held at Floyd Oakley's Saturday afternoon. A large crowd was present.

The horse and sleigh which was at Luther Trowbridge's nearly two weeks, was claimed by the owner, Mr. Myers, who came and got them a few days ago.

Mrs. Ada Bush, Della Christiana, Jack Christiana and Jerome Torwilliger and children attended the party at Arch. Trowbridge's.

### ALLIGERVILLE.

Alligerville, Feb. 27.—Mrs. Chase has moved into rooms in the house of Miss Emma Harnden.

Frank Warren has moved from the Schoonmaker cottage onto the Terwilliger farm.

John Hendrickson, Jr., will move into the Garrison cottage.

Harry Krom and mother of Briar Cliff are spending two weeks at their home here.

Joseph Bogart is renovating his recently purchased home preparatory to moving into the same.

Virgil Bogart will move into his new house as soon as vacated. The present occupants, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, will move into rooms now occupied by the Hendricksons.

Myron Deany will move from the Garrison cottage into the Krom cottage.

The proceeds of the men's supper on the night of the 22nd, were \$111.54. The committee in charge wish to thank one and all who in any way helped to make it a success.

Friends and neighbors of Mrs. M. A. Weeks are glad to have her again at home.

### MOHONK LAKE.

Mohonk Lake, Feb. 25.—There were a number from this place at the turkey supper at Alligerville on Washington's birthday.

Mrs. A. E. Weaver and son, Roland, spent from Thursday until Monday with relatives at Clintonville.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Rutherford spent Saturday and Sunday at Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Clearwater entertained a friend from out of town the past week.

Harry Delamater spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives at Kingston.

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## THE KITCHEN CABINET

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### OPENING CHESTNUT BUR.

The chestnut with its own delicacy of flavor is a great favorite everywhere it may be obtained, and countless are the ways in which it may appear to give fresh delight to the palate.

Cream of Chestnut Soup—Remove the outer shell from the nut and cover with boiling water; as the water cools slip off the brown skin from the nuts. Cook a quart of the blanched meats in sufficient water to cover until quite tender; add, while cooking, one small onion, three stalks of celery, a small blade of mace and a bay leaf. When the nuts are tender mash them through a puree sieve; return to the fire, add two quarts of white stock, a teaspoonful of salt, half a teaspoonful of paprika and a pint of hot milk. When the soup boils, draw it back on the stove and add two beaten egg yolks, mixed with a half cupful of sweet cream. Have ready in the tureen a tablespoonful of finely minced chervil; pour in the hot soup and serve at once.

Chestnuts are excellent simply cooked until tender; and served in a rich white sauce, or mashed with butter, salt, and pepper and served as a vegetable they are especially appetizing.

Brussels sprouts and chestnuts are a favored combination. Cook the sprouts until tender, add the nuts, roasted until tender, and serve in a rich white sauce.

Chestnuts served with French dressing makes a nice salad to serve with game.

Chestnuts with lentils as a vegetable or as a soup is another good combination.

Chestnut croquettes are a delicacy not largely enjoyed. Serve with tarragon and parsley.

Chestnut Entree—Mash a pound of roasted chestnuts to a paste; add half a cupful of thick, sweet cream, a teaspoonful of chopped parsley, and two well-beaten eggs; pour into buttered timbale cups and set in a pan of hot water to bake in the oven 25 minutes. Remove from the molds and serve with a cream sauce or a tomato sauce.

Cooked chestnuts served in a rich lemon sirup are delicious served with ice cream.

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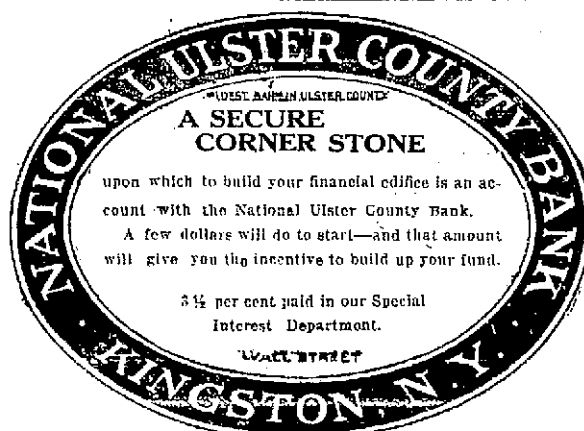
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KINGSTON, N. Y., FEB. 28, 1917.

Almost everybody and everything at all conspicuous in our public life has been held responsible for the high cost of living at one time or another. Now the Attorney General, who controls the investigating arm of the Federal government, has picked a new source of trouble upon which to place the blame. He declares the high prices are due to the half-hearted efforts of Federal judges to enforce the Sherman law. This plaint is reminiscent of the lawyer who always held the bench responsible for every case he lost. Yet, coming from President Wilson's chief law officer, the criticism is sufficiently serious to warrant an investigation. Mr. Gregory admits that the Department of Justice has failed to find evidence of illegality in its food price inquiry, but at the same time he seeks to put all the blame upon the judges. If this criticism is just, the remedy for such an evil should have been applied before this. The Federal court bench is no place for judges afraid to construe the law as it is written. The Attorney General, however, has made no such record in the conduct of his office as to inspire any special confidence in any charges he may make reflecting upon the competency of somebody else. If he is unable to find evidence of illegality in the food combinations, he cannot expect convictions in any of our courts, Federal or State.

Now that the Legislature is literally "going to the dogs" in an effort to revive the sheep industry, some information has developed in regard to the Weeks bill which purports to add to the dog license fees in third class cities and the towns. Opponents to the bill cite, and with good show of reason, the economic grounds for the shifting of the sheep-raising industry to the cheaper grazing lands in the West and to other sections of the country outside New York State. Senator Wicks, whose committee made such an exhaustive investigation of the subject, is a former clothing merchant, and his conclusions had the benefit of his business experience to add to their circulation. The choice of third class cities of the State, forty-eight in number, and the various towns for the imposition of this increased dog tax is inexplicable when the exemption of the first and second class cities is considered. A greater tax on dogs, and a tax on cats, would be a good thing beyond doubt. In the year 1916, an estimate based upon returns from less than half the towns of the State, shows a total of 5,000 sheep killed out of the more than 600,000 sheep shown in the last Federal census. Thus the loss from canine ravages of the flocks would be less than one per cent. How an additional tax to be borne by cities of the third class and dog-owners in the rural districts would help matters is a puzzle. The existing statute provides for an indemnity for all sheep killed by dogs and it would seem that a little more activity in enforcing this law would prove fully as useful for the sheep-raising industry as the remedy proposed by Senator Wicks.

The Army War College's military service bill proposes the training of all able-bodied citizens for eleven months in their nineteenth year, to be followed by two annual repetition periods of two weeks—or one year in all. The reasons for proposing only youths of nineteen are obvious. There would thus be no serious interruption of a business career, while training of this sort would be far more effective and require much less time at that age than ten or fifteen years later. It is estimated that the system proposed, with its classification of reserves liable for service up to their forty-fifth year, would ultimately give the country a trained force of four million men, a million and a half of them ready to respond instantly to a call to arms. Whether a year or the counter proposal of only six months of training should be chosen is matter for debate, but in either case there would be highly desirable results. What can be accomplished in a comparatively short period has been demonstrated lately on the Mexican border. The fine appearance and efficiency of the returning militiamen after eight months of training have been widely remarked. Millions of Germans, Frenchmen and Englishmen on the battle line of the war at its present stage have doubtless had

no longer preparatory training than this. The proposition of compulsory military training is startling to many Americans, but the plan in general is merely to give to all our youth what our private military schools for generations past have given only to a fortunate few—with excellent results in civil life as well as in superior material for our hastily organized armies in time of war.

## LITTLE LAUGHS.

Alice—"I could never marry a man who loved me just for my looks."  
Marie—"I'm sure you couldn't, dear."—Boston Transcript.

"I thought a five-passenger car would easily hold all my friends."  
Well?—"Until I got a five-passenger car."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

"That's a magnificent house of yours." "Yes," replied Mr. Dustin Stax. "And it's full of servants who can't do much except get together and discuss the employer problem."—Washington Star.

Mrs. Flatbush—"Who is that woman you just bowed to?" Mrs. Bensonhurst—"Oh, she's my next door neighbor." "But she didn't return your bow." "No; she never returns anything."—Yonkers Statesman.

"The pearly of lived with before," said the new cook, "was very plain, ma'am." "Well, and are we not plain here?" asked the lady. "Truth, ye are so, ma'am, but in their way of living, not in their looks, ma'am."—Boston Transcript.

## The Only Reason.

Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis tells this story:

"I was on a trolley car in a distant city and it was going so slowly I was nervous about reaching my engagement."

"Can you not go faster?" I asked the jolly Irish conductor.

"Sure I can," he answered.

"Why do you not, then?"

"I have to stay with my car, that's all," he replied.—Brooklyn Eagle.

## Just Adopted It.

The big, fat-footed, hungry negro was up for theft. "I caught him nippin' a fresh-made pumpkin pie from the MacGregor house on Marguerite street," explained Officer Carey. "Did you?" demanded the judge. "Dat's a rough word, ye Honnol—sayin' I done stole a hit. Now as ter de truf—dat punkin pie was settin' dar on de winder ledge, abandoned, Jedge. Nobody nowhar nigh hit, Jedge. Hit wuz a case of 'justifiable adoption,' brought on by de Christmas spirit."—Case and Comment.

## Incidental Music.

Young Mr. Halowell, who was not much of a preacher, was appointed chaplain on a battleship. He decided to amuse as well as instruct his men, and to that end he arranged a magic lantern lecture upon bible scenes and incidents.

A sailor who possessed a gramophone was secured to discourse appreciate music between the slides. The first picture shown was Adam and Eve in the Garden of Eden. The sailor nudged his brains and ran through his repertoire, but he could think of no piece exactly appropriate.

"Play up, play up," whispered the chaplain. Suddenly an inspiration struck the sailor, and, to the consternation of the audience, the gramophone squawked out.

"There is only one girl in this world for me!"—Brooklyn Eagle.

## TWENTY AND TEN YEARS AGO.

Feb. 28, 1897.—Death of Miss Jennie Whitaker on Furnace street. Mrs. E. S. Farnett purchased the Rebecca Fitch property on Pearl street.

The William Schwarzwald Company of Chichester made application for dissolution of corporation.

Feb. 28, 1907.—Residence of M. C. Crosby on West Chestnut street entered by sneak thieves and \$50 and valuable jewelry stolen.

Mrs. Sarah M. Davis died at her home on John street.

Work of manufacturing automobiles started at old Peckham plant on Grand street.

## SOUTH ROUNDOUT.

South Rondout, Feb. 28.—The Rev. John Anthony preached at Eddyville on Sunday afternoon for the Rev. Eugene Bookhout.

There will be communion service in our church next Sunday and that will be the last our pastor will be with us and we hope everybody will come out.

There will be a meeting of the Ladies' Aid at the home of Mrs. Allie Hamilton on Wednesday night, Feb. 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Liberty Hyde and son Clarence spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Becker at Sleightsburch.

Miss Elizabeth Hines is confined to her home with the grip.

Mrs. Joseph Ritter of Kingston spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Pentz on Connelly Heights.

Fred Fox of Sleightsburch called on friends here on Sunday.

Mrs. Julia Wolf is ill with pneumonia. Dr. Ross is the attending physician, but at this writing is somewhat better.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Snyder spent Sunday with relatives in Port Ewen.

Knud Olsen has returned home, after spending a few days in New York and while there he took a trip on the steamer Neutral with Capt. George Gascon.

Hudson Cole has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. Fred Burton at Haines Falls.

C. Lake is improving at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lounsbury of Kingston called on relatives here on Sunday.

# FARM INSTITUTES WEEK OF MARCH 5

Programs of Speakers and Local Committees in Clintondale, Ulster Park, Stone Ridge and Mount Marion.

The Bureau of Farmers' Institutes, which is under the directorship of Edward Van Alstyne, is the educational branch of the State Department of Agriculture. During the present winter the farmers' institutes promise to awaken greater interest and to be productive of better results than ever before. About 375 institutes have been arranged, and before the winter is over, more than 100,000 persons will undoubtedly have been reached.

Institutes to be held in this vicinity this next week together with local committees in charge are listed as follows:

Clintondale, March 5. W. D. Tallman, Highland, R. D. 4; Mrs. Graham Herd.

Ulster Park, March 6. George E. House, Mrs. Edith A. Story.

Stone Ridge, March 7. C. C. Hardenberg, Mrs. Oscar Hornbeck.

Mount Marion, March 8. H. Clinton Finger, Mrs. H. Clinton Finger.

The institutes depend for much of their success on the enterprise of the local committees in charge in awakening interest and enthusiasm in the community where each meeting is held. The speakers on each circuit are specialists in the line of farming that is practiced in the county in which they visit. Those who will lecture in this vicinity next week are C. R. White, F. E. Bonesteel and Mrs. Della A. Jones.

C. R. White of Ionia, Ontario county, will be in charge. He was born on a farm and received a portion of his education in the University of Michigan. On his farm he specializes in potatoes and market garden crops and in addition grows considerable fruit and grass. He has had a wide experience in drainage and is thoroughly posted as to soils and fertilizers. Year before last he served as an assistant to John J. Dillon, commissioner, department of foods and markets and was chairman of the commission on co-operation of the New York State Agricultural Society. He has also been president of the New York State Vegetable Growers' Association.

F. E. Bonesteel, living at Ashville, Chautauque county, is a graduate of Cornell University. His early life was spent on a dairy and grain farm in western New York. Between 1909 and 1905 he was employed as a soil expert in the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Just over the line from Chautauque county in Pennsylvania he has 250 acres devoted to dairy and grain. He lives on a 60 acre place near Jamestown which was badly run down. This he is reclaiming and there he is growing potatoes and fruit. He is keenly interested in buckwheat and believes that where it is intelligently grown it is a most profitable money crop.

Mrs. Della A. Jones of Worcester, Schoharie county, will be the woman lecturer of the force. Mrs. Jones is a clergyman's wife and the mother of three children. In her early life she made partial preparation for work as a medical missionary. After her marriage she did work in the slums of St. Louis, Mo. She is one of the most popular workers on the farmers' institute staff and her lecture on "The Ideal Home" has been an inspiration to her hearers wherever given.

## COTTEKILL.

Cottekill, Feb. 28.—The play entitled, "Cupid's Capers," which was so successfully given by the young people of this village in the Jr. O. U. A. M. Hall recently, is to be repeated in the basement of the Reformed Church at Stone Ridge on Tuesday evening, March 6th. Admission will be 15 cents to adults and 10 cents to children. Refreshments will be on sale. All those who saw it here will be anxious to again see it at Stone Ridge and an invitation is extended to all. A large crowd is hoped for. Proceeds for the benefit of the Missionary Society.

Earl Jones is reported ill, being attended by Dr. Hutchinson.

Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Kelder of Kingston spent a few days the past week with the former's parents here.

L. R. Conner spent Saturday and Sunday at Hancock and while there attended the biennial meeting of the Order of Railroad Telegraphers of which he was again elected general chairman for two years.

Miss Anna Short of Port Ewen spent the week end with her parents here.

James Gillespie of Kingston spent Sunday at his home here.

A. J. Snyder spent Friday at Kingston.

Mrs. Garton Keator spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. C. A. Snyder, at Kingston, and reports Mrs. S. V. DuBois greatly improved, and little Simon able to walk.

Fred DeWitt of Kingston spent Sunday at his home here.

Miss Margaret Keator spent Friday at Kingston.

Mrs. L. R. Conner and Mrs. R. B. Walker spent one day the past week at Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Keator spent Saturday at Kingston.

Mrs. Lizzie Hoyer of Kingston spent the week end with her parents here.

Mrs. John Short spent Monday at Kingston.

A. J. Keator and S. D. E. Snyder of Kingston and Miss Margaret Keator spent Sunday with the former's parents here.

Ira Snyder spent Tuesday at Kingston.

Mrs. Joe Jones spent one day the past week at Kingston.

Kingston W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The Kingston W. C. T. U. will hold its regular meeting on Thursday, at 2:30 p. m., in the parlors of St. James' M. E. Church. Mrs. Lamont Ellingwill have charge of the devotional services. Visitors are welcome at the services.

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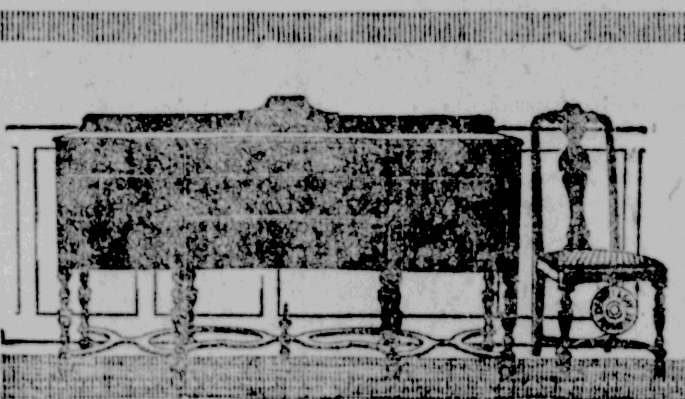
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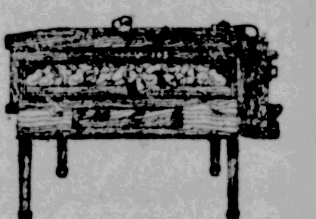
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against John J. Davis, late of the city of Kingston, county of Ulster, deceased, intestate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Annie T. Campbell, the administratrix of the estate of said deceased, at his residence, High Falls, in the said county of Ulster, on or before the 10th day of June, 1917.

Dated, December 6, 1916.  
ANNIE T. CAMPBELL,  
As Administratrix of Estate of John J. Davis, Deceased.  
V. B. Van Wageningen, Attorney, Kingston, N. Y.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Kate Hashbrouck, late of the town of Marletta, county of Ulster, deceased, intestate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Sarah Burhan and Catherine Burhan, the administrators of the estate of said deceased, at his residence, High Falls, in the said county of Ulster, on or before the 10th day of June, 1917.

Dated, December 12, 1916.  
MOSSES R. BURHAN,  
As Administrators, etc., of Estate of Kate Hashbrouck, Deceased.  
V. B. Van Wageningen, Attorney, Kingston, N. Y.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Edward Burhan, late of the town of Ulster, county of Ulster, deceased, intestate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Sarah Burhan and Catherine Burhan, the administrators of the estate of said deceased, at his residence, High Falls, in the said county of Ulster, on or before the 30th day of May, 1917.

Dated, November 7, 1916.  
SARAH BURHAN and CATHERINE BURHAN,  
Administrators, etc., of the estate of Edward Burhan, Deceased.  
V. B. Van Wageningen, Attorney for Administrators, Ulster County Savings Bank Building, Kingston, New York.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against George W. Martin, late of the city of Kingston, county of Ulster, deceased, intestate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Maggie J. Saffier and Elizabeth B. Smith, the executrices of the estate of said deceased, at the residence of Maggie J. Saffier, 14 Franklin St., in the said city of Kingston, N. Y., on or before the 31st day of May, 1917.

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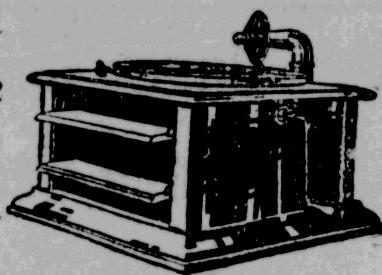
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"We have heard a lot about the shrinking violet," said the street corner politician to his friend, "but how about the shrinking dollar."

"How is that?" asked the friend. "Well I read in The Freeman how the price of beer has been boosted," said the politician, "and now I learn that the Sunday newspaper will be advanced a cent on Sunday."

"What's that?" asked the friend. "Sure if you want to buy a Sunday newspaper in Kingston hereafter you will have to pay 8 cents," replied the politician.

"All the necessities of life are taking a jump," said the friend with a sigh. "And it would not surprise me," said the politician, "if some effort was not made to form a company to control the air supply and make a person pay for breathing."

"They could not do that," expostulated the friend. "Yes they could," argued the politician, "they could hang a meter on your neck which would register the amount of ozone you inhaled."

"Hardly likely that will happen though," said the friend with a sigh of relief.

"You never can tell what is going to happen next," remarked the politician.

"What do you think of this idea of lengthening the school hours," asked the friend. "I have not given the matter much thought," said the politician.

"From what I read in The Freeman," said the friend, "it seems that there is a likelihood of lengthening the present five hour day to six or even seven hours."

"I remember now reading something about it," said the politician, "but it seems queer to me."

"What seems queer," asked the friend.

"The need of making the school hour longer."

"Why?" asked the friend.

"Well," said the politician thoughtfully, "when you and I were young did we have to carry so many school books home to study nights as the children do now?"

"No it don't seem to me we did," confessed the friend.

"Now when I meet a boy or a girl on the way to school," said the politician, "it looks as though they had taken home every book they study."

"It does look so," said the friend, "now that you speak of it."

"If I remember right," continued the politician, "when I went to school I would take one book home, and maybe it would be a spelling book or—"

"Speaking of spelling," interrupted the friend, "it seems to me they don't devote enough time to the study of that subject."

"How is that?" asked the politician.

"There is a high school graduate," said the friend, "working in the office and every time this graduate writes a letter and has to use the word 'there' I find it spelled that way all through the letter irrespective of how the word is used."

"That's nothing," said the politician, "I have yet to find a high school graduate who can spell correctly words in every day use."

"I guess you are right," said the friend.

"The great trouble to my mind," continued the politician, "is the fact that they have to study a lot of things that are absolutely useless to them when they start out in life to make a living."

"Then you are not in favor of a longer school hour?" said the friend. "I am," said the politician, "if it does not mean that the students will have to lug more school books home to study nights."

"What's your idea?" asked the friend.

"Eliminating a lot of studies," said the politician, "that don't amount to a row of pins."

"When you talk like that," said the friend, "you will get a lot of high brows up in arms."

"Fiddlesticks with the high brows," exclaimed the politician indignantly, "the successful men in the country today, or the vast majority of them, never knew what high brow stuff was."

"You are right there I guess," said the friend.

"Sure I am right," said the politician, "and nine times out of ten you will find that a real high brow is one who is too lazy to get out and work for a living."

### CHICHESTER.

Chichester, Feb. 28.—Mrs. William Roberts of Poughkeepsie has been visiting relatives here.

E. G. Bennett made a trip to Kingston Saturday.

Miss Grace DuBois of Kingston spent several days as the guest of Miss Lillie Schwarzwelder here recently.

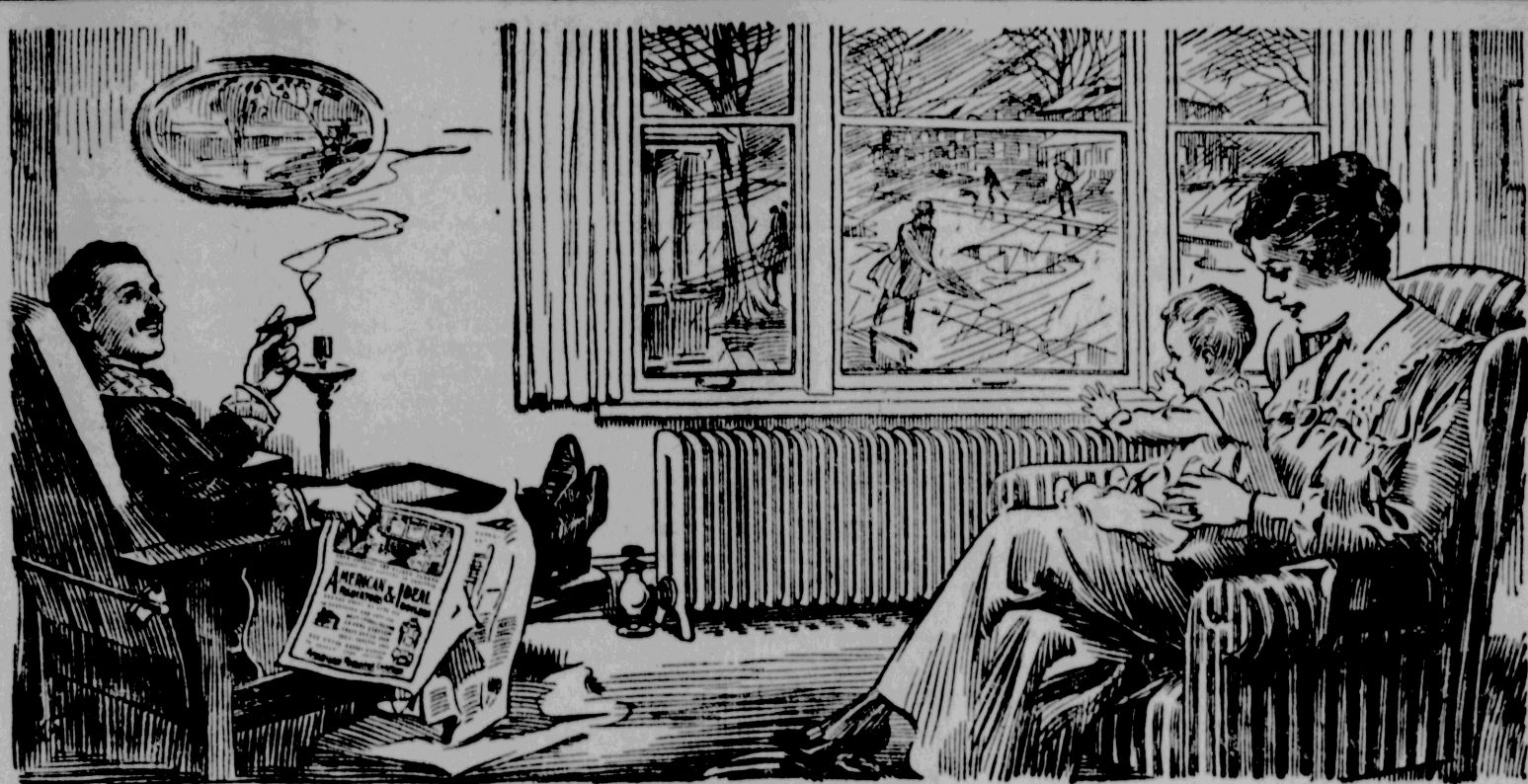
Miss Clara Lane of Lanesville spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in this place.

Miss Bessie Bennett spent a few days' vacation at her home here last week.

R. H. Stokes is in Kingston installing some cabinet work in the store of L. S. Winne. Mr. Stokes is in the employ of W. O. Schwarzwelder of this place.

Charles Holley of Haines Falls and Charles Longyear of Jewett are shipping carloads of lumber to this place weekly.

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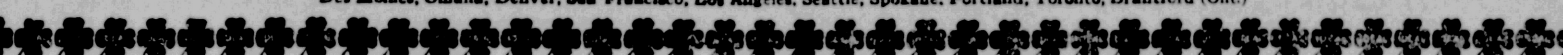
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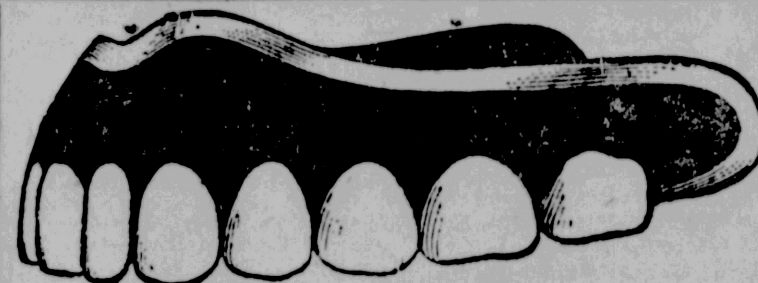
As soon as your party answers the correct practice is to announce your name and start the call in the same direct manner that you use in a face-to-face meeting.

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## MRS. DIMMICK'S WILL IS FILED

St. James's M. E. Church to Receive \$15,000. Hospital, Industrial Home, Library, Y. M. C. A. and D. A. B. Each Receive \$1,000.

The will of Mrs. Mary O. Dimmick, widow of the late Samuel O. Dimmick, was filed with Surrogate Gill in the surrogate's court today by Judge Betts, counsel for F. J. R. Clarke, the executor named in the will, and a citation for its probate was issued returnable April 3.

The will disposes of an estate of \$55,000, of which amount, \$50,000 is bequeathed to charitable and philanthropic purposes; \$15,000 is bequeathed to a nephew of her late husband; \$2,000 is bequeathed to two cousins; \$4,000 in cash is bequeathed to friends and others who are not related; \$200 is bequeathed in trust for the perpetual care of her burial lot; \$2,000 is bequeathed for a monument on her burial plot; personal belongings and heirlooms are bequeathed to eleven friends not related, and the balance is bequeathed to Mrs. Anna DuBois DeLaVergne, wife of Charles H. DeLaVergne, who is a second cousin.

Mrs. Dimmick left but few near relatives. Nineteen next of kin are named in the citation. The total number of beneficiaries under the will is twenty-nine.

After providing for the payment of her debts and funeral expenses, Mrs. Dimmick bequeaths the sum of \$500 each to her friends, Mrs. Lillian F. Westbrook, widow of John S. Westbrook; Mrs. Julia C. Parrott and Miss Jane Amelia Westbrook; to her cousin, Mary A. Osterhout, daughter of Mary A. Osterhout of Flatbush, and to her cousin, Rachel Osterhout, also of Flatbush, she bequeaths the sum of \$1,000 each. To William W. Dimmick, son of Perez Dimmick, of Ossining, N. Y., a nephew of her deceased husband, she bequeaths a blue and white homespun bedspread, a Sheffield plate silver set and tray, and the sum of \$15,000.

To William Griffin, Pearl Every and Frances O'Brien, who have been connected with her household for some time, she bequeaths the sum of \$500 each.

Members of Mrs. Dimmick's immediate circle of friends are remembered with personal belongings as follows:

To Mrs. Jennie Romer Teller, a cashmere capelet and silver tray under the name: Queen Ann mirror and writing desk.

To Myron Teller, best mahogany table now in the dining room on the lower floor, for use during his life, and after his death the same to be given to his daughter, Mrs. Marion Holman.

To Mrs. Marion Thibouton of Utica, N. Y., three candelabra on the first floor mantle on the lower floor, a full set of coral jewelry and the best kimonshe rug.

To Mrs. Jane Bruyn of Englewood, N. J., an oil painting of roses and Mrs. Julia Dillon; nest silk rug and three candelabra on the dining room mantle.

To Mrs. Corrie Chipp Lawrence and her second daughter, Mildred Lawrence, three candelabra and nesting basket which were purchased of Mrs. Lawrence.

To Mrs. Elizabeth Post, widow of Charles Post, sable collar and muff; traveling bag that was bought in London, England, and Persian lamb rug, stole and muff.

To Mrs. Olivia M. Betts, wife of Judge Betts, solitaire diamond ring.

To Mrs. Ella Baldwin Osterhout, the old banjo clock in the room of the testatrix.

To Mrs. Jessie L. Drake, the set of white table dollys and centerpiece in the case that she gave to the testatrix.

To Mrs. Anna T. V. Kenyon, a large solitaire diamond ring.

To Frederick J. R. Clarke the sum of \$1,000 in addition to his statutory fees and commissions as executor.

Charitable and philanthropic objects are remembered as follows:

To the City of Kingston Hospital, to the Industrial Home of the City of Kingston, to the Kingston City Library, to the Young Men's Christian Association of Kingston, and to Wilkes Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, the sum of \$1,000 each. The bequest to Wilkes Chapter, D. A. B., is to be used to pay or reduce the mortgage on its chapter house, but any balance remaining is to belong to the chapter.

The monuments or headstones now on the burial plot of the testatrix in the Wilkes Rural Cemetery, being the plot in which her parents are buried, are directed to be removed, and the executor is directed to erect a new monument on the plot, suitably inscribed to the memory of the testatrix and of those now buried in the plot, which monument is to cost not more than \$2,000. It is the wish of the testatrix that she be buried in said plot. This sum of \$200 is bequeathed to the trustees of Wilkes Rural Cemetery Association, the interest and income of which is to be used for the care and preservation of the burial plot.

The sum of \$15,000 is bequeathed to the trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Church of the town of Kingston, commonly known as St. James's Methodist Episcopal Church of the City of Kingston. Both Mrs. Dimmick and her husband were active members of this church for many years. She requests that the trustees of the church hold such principal sum inviolate; to invest the same in safe securities and collect the interest and income therefrom and to apply such interest and income as follows: The interest and income on \$10,000 thereof to securing food and appropriate music for church services; the interest and income on \$2,000 thereof to the Sunday school; the interest and income on \$3,000 thereof to the care and preservation of the parsonage.

All the residue and remainder of the estate, real and personal, is given by Mrs. Dimmick to her friend, Mrs. Anna DuBois De La Vergne of Clinton avenue.

Fredrick J. R. Clarke is appointed executor. The will was executed January 9, 1915, and witnessed by Judge Betts and Christopher Snyder. The probate affidavit accompanying the petition and will states that the value of the real estate is \$5,500 and the value of the personal property is upwards of \$50,000. Judge Betts is attorney for the executor.

**SOCIETY NOTES.**

Mrs. Benjamin Silkworth of Manor avenue entertained in honor of her aunt, Mrs. Isaiah J. Wager, of Alberta, Canada, Mrs. George Silkworth, Mrs. R. S. Barclay, and Mrs. Emmett Silkworth. A very pleasant time was enjoyed by all.

A very delightful surprise was tendered Miss Marjorie Dutcher on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. James Pirie, 168 Tremper avenue. About twenty young people were present and the evening was spent in making merry. Some good music was also enjoyed. Delicious refreshments were served during the evening and the affair broke up at a late hour.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Brininger, Jr., of Downs street entertained a party of young folks on Tuesday night. The evening was spent in dancing and daily refreshments were served and all departed vowing their host and hostess royal entertainers.

Those present were the Misses Katharine Peleman, Edna Horton, Ruth Bushnell and Ruth Ashley and the Messrs. Raymond Smith, Frank Campbell, Parker Brininger and Gus Brininger.

Little Paulina Sutton of 27 Cedar street entertained fifteen of her little friends Saturday afternoon last. Games and music were enjoyed and refreshments were served. They all departed declaring Pauline a gracious little hostess. Those who were present were the Misses Loretta Machold, Myler Baker, Florence Van Tassel, Ethel Osterhout, Ruth Shader, Violet Hill, Gertrude Glass, Eliza Flanagan, Lillian Coffin, Bessie Sampson, Mae and Evelyn Harnist and Little Emma Sutton and Masters George Machold, Harold Machold and Gilbert Sampson.

**D. A. R. Meeting.**

All members of Wilkes Chapter, D. A. R. are reminded of the regular monthly meeting to be held at the Chapter House tomorrow, Thursday afternoon at three o'clock. A very pleasing program has been arranged.

**Lowell Club.**

The Lowell Club held its regular meeting this week at the home of the president, Mrs. Bruyn, on Main street. Mrs. Thornberry had the paper for the day, following the call of "Some of Scott's Heroisms." The subject of Mrs. Thornberry's paper was "Sir Walter Scott," which was most admirably presented. Readings were given from "The Lady of the Lake," by Mrs. Cole, and Mrs. Witter gave readings of poems from Scott's fiction. Next week the club will meet with Mrs. Van Buren.

**Shufeldt-Russell.**

Augustus Shufeldt, a well known and popular member of the Ulster county bar, and member of the law firm of Jenkins & Shufeldt, and Miss Dorothy Jean Russell, of this city, were quietly married this morning at the parsonage of the Reformed Church of the Comforter by the pastor, the Rev. Wilbur F. Stowe. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Shufeldt. Mr. and Mrs. Shufeldt have a host of friends who wish them a long and prosperous married life. After a short wedding trip west they will reside in this city.

**ST. REMY.**

St. Remy, Feb. 28.—Henry DeGraff has a new horse.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Krom and son, Clarence, of Palenville, were guests of Clarence Freer and family on Sunday.

Mrs. Irving van Beek is spending some time in New York city.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cole were guests of Cline Frost and family in Kingston on Sunday.

Miss Parker has started the physical training exercises in the public school.

Mrs. Serena DeGraff gave a party in honor of her birthday last Wednesday, February 1. The occasion was much enjoyed by all present.

Mrs. M. F. Devo has a fine display of lilacs in bloom and also some very pretty hyacinths.

Mrs. S. C. Haines, Mrs. William Becher, Miss Harriet Carman, Samuel Carman and Charles Becher were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Sahler at Ulster Park last Thursday.

Earl Roosa and son, Robert, and mother, Mrs. E. Roosa, of Ulster Park spent Sunday with Charles York and family.

**Young Folks to Hold Social.**

Something new in the social line will be inaugurated this evening at the local Y. M. C. A. when a young folks social will be held at the building under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Societies of the Albany Avenue Baptist Church and the First Presbyterian Church and the social committee of the association. This social is free to every young person and young folks society in the city. An interesting program has been arranged and refreshments will be served. Another social will be arranged for March.

**KYSERIKE.**

Kyserike, Feb. 28.—Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Blanshan are receiving congratulations over the arrival of a daughter, born February 19.

Isaac Danks has sold his railroad ties to Philatus Hendricks.

The action at Floyd Oakley's was well attended and everything was sold.

**McENELLY'S**  
FRIDAY, MARCH 2

## FORESTRY PROVED ASSET FOR STATE

Prof. J. Fred Baker Gives Interesting Talk Before Rotary Club at Luncheon—Stereopticon Lecture at High School Tonight.

Rotarians, under whose auspices Prof. J. Fred Baker of the Syracuse College of Forestry will speak tonight in the high school auditorium, had the pleasure of listening to this authority on the subject at the weekly luncheon today at the West Shore Hotel. President Willis Hills presided and there was some business of letter-reading with the usual singing in evidence.

Plans were made for an informal welcome for Major George Chandler, who is expected to arrive in Kingston on the West Shore train due here about 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon. Reports from the Binghamton, (pronounced Beamington by the delegates) meet were read with dramatic criticism and plans for the Atlantic convention next June at which Kingston will be represented, two going by land and foot by sea. If ocean travel is not a lost art by that time.

Water Commissioner John Hauck, a new member, was introduced and received with that cordiality peculiar to Rotary.

When it came down to sawing wood, President Hills introduced Professor Baker who gave a quarter of an hour exposition of some of the basic principles of scientific forestry, the history of the work and conditions in New York state and the direct and indirect results and their immense value to the commonwealth. Professor Baker was most cordially received.

**Business of the State.**

Beginning with the economic aspects of forestry, the speaker discussed the advantages and disadvantages of private, municipal, corporation and national or state ownership of forests. While he commended some of the results obtained under private ownership, he declared that it was clumsy and further that reforestation, or forest growing, did not appeal to the private investor chiefly because of the length of time required before any return could be realized. When it is considered, he said, that 45 years is necessary to elapse before a white pine seedling can develop to its first cutting, and from 95 to 125 years for the oak tree to develop from the acorn, this phase of the problem was apparent.

Privately owned forests were expensive, he held, citing the old proverb that "the who by the plow would drive himself must either hold or drive." That truth applied to forestry and the experience at Baltimore and other places, where others had to be hired to do the work, had shown that it was difficult to show any actual cash returns on such investments.

**Many Valuable Results.**

For the state and federal governments, the proposition is different as there are so many advantages to be derived, foremost among them being the public health which is served through the providing of recreation centers, the protection of watersheds and the prevention of floods. Each point was illustrated by the speaker who also touched upon the conservation of temperature secured by the presence of forest growth, and the increase in humidity, the abundance of rainfall and other conservation of natural resources.

How the forest floor, or "duff" as the foresters style the rotted leaves and mold, retains the moisture and prevents floods was mentioned together with the constancy of water supply thus brought about through the dry seasons. The value of navigation alone was tremendous, the speaker stated.

**Game Revenues Largest.**

Most interesting were Professor Baker's comments on the work in Germany and France where forestry has advanced with such great strides. Contrary to common belief, he said, the greatest revenue comes from the state forests in those countries from the game produced and sold therefrom.

In this connection, he cited the six millions of acres of idle land in New York state and the present state debt approximating \$47.50 to each acre. In Zurich, Switzerland, the large municipal forests brings in a return of from \$8 to \$12 an acre each year.

America has a great advantage over Europe in the number of its tree species, the varieties of its oak numbering 54; pine, 36 and spruce, 7. In Europe there is one chief variety of pine which, however, is in great demand. He mentioned the problem of fuel and the belief of many persons that wood may again be called to play an important part in its solution. Peat fuel, such as is coming into use through Europe, will soon be called upon for such purpose in this country he believes.

**Transportation a Factor.**

Transportation is one great factor in forestry. In this state with its numerous roads, there is a great opportunity for the elimination of waste in tree-cutting. In the hills adjacent to Kingston, and in the Adirondacks as well as the Catskills, the speaker said the roads are of the greatest value in getting all of the useful parts of the tree to the market.

An effective contrast in methods of lumbering was cited between this country and Germany where, a pine tree is sold in Munich down to the twigs which go for fuel and the needles which are used in interior decorating material. In this country almost all but the best of the timber taken from the log is wasted.

More scientific methods of fire prevention and of forest taxation will be necessary to bring about a proper development of the science of forestry, much of the present theories being largely paper. Competent labor is another essential in proper lumbering.

Of the origin of the present state conservation policy in respect to forests which, he said, dated back to the State Park Commission legis-

lation in 1872, Prof. Baker spoke at length. He mentioned the great asset since created in our forest reserves which furnish public recreation and health for thousands of our people. The protection of forests by legislation in 1885, the constitutional amendments of 1893 and subsequent legislation and its valuable effect were all touched upon.

In conclusion, the speaker told something of the service that the State College of Forestry is endeavoring to render in this connection and invited all present to hear the lecture at the high school tonight which will be illustrated with stereopticon slides on the main points in the problem.

**The Swiss Admiral.**

"As much business as a Swiss admiral" is a term sometimes used satirically. But the little inland nation actually and an admiral once, it was an Englishman, too, a Colonel Williams, who joined the Swiss colors in 1799. This Colonel Williams got together a small fleet on Lake Zurich and was ordered to oppose the French army, which was preparing to attack the Austrians and Russians massed near by.

The French attacked their allied force and routed them. Admiral Williams calmly watched the battle that was in progress on land. Then, enraged at his own inaction, he discharged his crew, scuttled his vessels and went back to England.

Switzerland now has one armored boat on Lake Lucerne, but its commander is only a captain.—Kansas City Star.

**A Father Vaughan Story.**

Father Bernard Vaughan, the famous English Jesuit preacher, says what he means and means what he says and is never afraid of directing his criticism even against the most powerful sections of society, especially the idle rich.

An amusing reference was once made to the fiery methods of denunciation he employs when in the pulpit. He had been preaching in Rome and had, as usual, dealt out plain truths about everybody with his accustomed force. One of the cardinals remarked that he preached like an Italian. "Yes," said another dignitary, "but he is an Italian. He was born on Vesuvius, and we only sent him to England to cool."—London Globe.

**Salt and Toothbrushes.**

Our dentist tells us a very interesting thing. Ordinary salt is one of the best methods for sterilizing toothbrushes that are known. But not only because it sterilizes it is so excellent, but because it has the effect of softening the bristles and making them expand in a way. One of the troubles so frequently met with is that the bristles come out and are swallowed, causing appendicitis. The salt causes the bristles to swell and so remain in the brush. This may be but another of the general million theories. It is important, however, that bristles do cause appendicitis.—New York Globe.

**Substitute For Tobacco.**

Throughout the tropical orient the natives employ a substitute for tobacco consisting of a slice of areca palm nut, wrapped in betel leaf, flavored with a fine lime made of native sea shells and colored with carmine. The habit is universal, especially with the women, and sellers of "betel nut" may be seen on many of the street corners in Saigon and other cities of Indo-China.

**Handsome Serenity.**

"George Washington was never guilty of deception."

"Maybe not. I don't believe, in fact, that he ever looked like his pictures on our postage stamps. But, of course, he wasn't responsible for them."—Washington Star.

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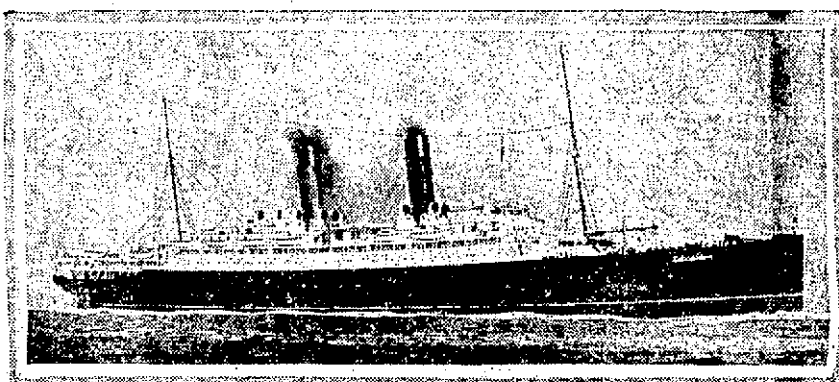
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**S.S. LACONIA**  
TEN AMERICANS ON BOARD LACONIA SUNK BY GERMAN U-BOAT

The Cunard Line steamship Laconia, of 18,095 tons gross, sunk by a German submarine of the Irish coast. Ten Americans are reported and crew were saved except one. The Laconia left New York for Liverpool on February 13.

### What Are You Worth?

Have you any idea? Did you ever capitalize your wages and figure it out? This is the way to ascertain how much your labor is really worth.

For instance, a man who has saved \$20,000 and invested it at 5 per cent receives an annual income of \$1,000 a year, or about \$20 a week.

The clerk in the office or the workman in the factory who gets \$20 a week therefore receives the income at 5 per cent on an investment of \$20,000.

He is a \$20,000 man—that is, he is getting as much week by week as the man with \$20,000 who depends solely upon the income from his investments and who does not work for a living.

The man who earns \$40 a week has about the same income as the investor with \$40,000 put out at interest at 5 per cent.

So labor is capital. It has a market value. It can be called a commodity because it can be sold by its owner the same as any other possession he may have.—John A. Schleicher in Leslie's.

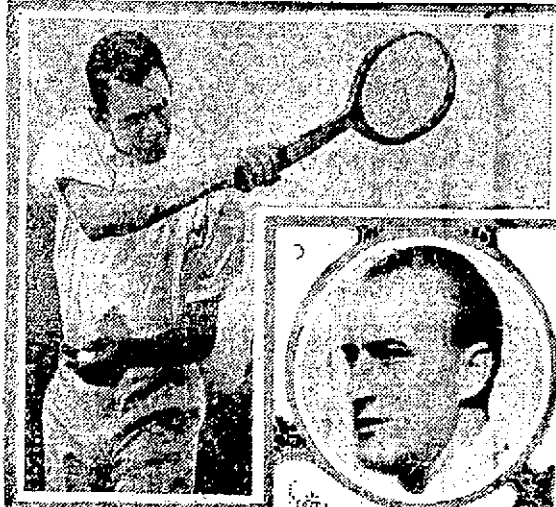
**Shotguns in War.**

That shotguns should be largely utilized in modern warfare is the contention of a number of military experts. It is pointed out that such guns would be particularly useful to sentries at night time, as an intruder might more easily be crippled and captured by a spreading charge of heavy shot than by a single bullet. Moreover, a person moving quickly might often be missed by a shot from a rifle, whereas a snapshot from a shotgun in semidarkness could hardly fail to find its object.

In the trenches shotguns could be used with success. A shotgun loaded with about forty-eight grains of powder and one and a half ounces of big shot, with about twenty-five pellets, would be of much more value than the rifle, as during a night attack, either for attack or defense in semidarkness, a single charge would hardly fail to inflict serious wounds on one or more of the enemy.—Exchange.

**Beautiful South American Tree.**

By far the most beautiful of the trees of Uruguay, South America, is the mimosa. This tree is an evergreen, and grows to a height of about forty feet. Even when not in flower it is very handsome, on account of its dark green fernlike leaves and gray-green trunk. The flowers are like little balls of golden-yellow pollen, and they have a sweet scent. They cover the branches of the tree from top to bottom, and at a distance one would almost say the whole thing was made of gold, or had been transplanted from a fairyland.



**GEORGE M. CHURCH. T. R. PELL.**  
EASTERN TENNIS STARS WHO WILL PLAY IN EAST-WEST MATCHES.

Here are two of the eastern tennis stars who will, among others, represent the east in the east again at west tennis matches to take place at Los Angeles March 9. Theodore Roosevelt Pell is on his way west, while George M. Church, who has been playing in the Orient with Harold Throckmorton, will stop off at Los Angeles on his way back. Throckmorton, Frederick B. Alexander and Conrad D. Doyle of Washington will also play on the eastern teams.

**Mean Advice.**

Old Gent—On the eve of your marriage let me give you a piece of advice. Remember when your wife's next birthday comes and give her a handsome present.

Young Man—Yes, of course.

"Give her the best your pocket can buy every birthday, but at Christmas, New Year's and such times give her only inexpensive little tokens. Form that habit."

"Yes, but why?"

"It will pay."

"I presume so."

"Yes. In a few years you can begin to forget the birthdays, and she won't say a word."

**Nothing Lost.**

"I hear she doesn't like me with a mustache."

"Going to shave it off, I suppose?"

"Oh, no! She never liked me."—Kansas City Journal.

**Unappreciated Gallantry.**

Joseph H. Choate, former ambassador to England, always has had strong domestic tendencies, not the least notable of his many lovable sides being a deep affection for Mrs. Choate. Every one has heard how, when once asked who he would rather be if not himself, he replied, "Mrs. Choate's second husband," but not every one has heard the comment of a certain London hostess when this delightful little bit of sentiment was repeated to her. The joke fell upon stony ground—the fate of so many American witkicks in British lands. "But who is Mrs. Choate's second husband?" asked the matron.—H. Marion Allen in Outlook.

She—Too many men expect their wives to run their homes on practicality. They forget that no one can make bricks without straw. He—My wife does—out of doors.—London Telegraph.



## MARCH 2d-3d FAST DAYS

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| MARKET<br>CODFISH, lb. 10c | SCROD<br>HADDOCK, lb. 7c  |
| Butters..... 12½c          | Trout, Pike, Whitefish,<br>Salmon Steaks,<br>Halibut, Pollock, Mackerel<br>Fresh White<br>COD Steaks, lb. 18c |
| Weeks..... 12½c            |   |
| Tile Steaks..... 12½c      |   |
| Ciscoes..... 12½c          |   |
| Pickled..... 12½c          |   |

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**PORK CHOPS** Cut from fresh  
little loins, no rind, 18c  
lb. ....  
Same kind sold at 26c last week.

**Hamburg Steak** Big value  
Best Beef, lb. .... 16c  
**SIRLOIN STEAK, lb. .... 24c**

Worth \$3.25 bushel wholesale.  
**White Potatoes, ½ peck - - 39c**

Fresh Eggs sold at 65c dozen in January.  
**FRESH EGGS, doz. - - 45c**

**BEST CREAMERY BUTTER, 2 lbs. .... 86c**

RENOVATED BUTTER, lb. .... 37c  
For Cooking or Table Use.

**Fresh Vegetables** Celery, Kale, Mushrooms, Radishes, Bunch Onions,  
Lettuce, New Cabbage

**New Cheese** White whole milk spe-  
cial, worth 30c, pound 25c

**CEYLON TEA** 4 grades, pound packages,  
market advanced, lb. .... 25c  
60c lb. 45c lb. 35c lb.

**Tomatoes, fancy, tin - 15c** **SPECIAL**  
**June Peas, tin - 13c** Dry Lima  
**Sweet Corn, tin - 14c** Beans, lb. 10c

BREAD DEARER HERE  
THAN IN BELGIUM

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

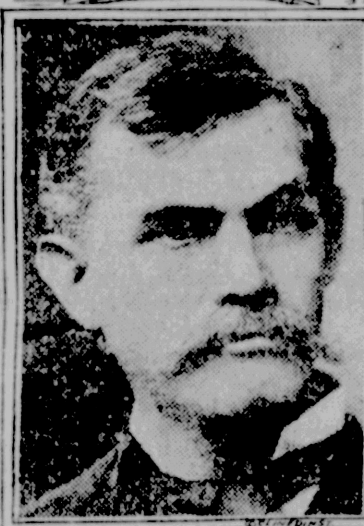
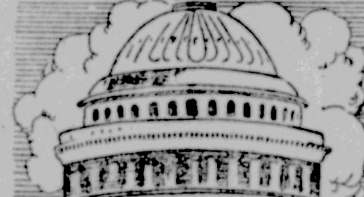
Albany, Feb. 28.—That the price of bread in Belgium is cheaper than in the state of New York was the statement made by Herbert C. Hoover, head of the Belgium Relief Commission in an address before the joint legislature today. He announced that in Belgium bread sold for four cents a pound as against six cents here, notwithstanding the fact that the wheat came from Chicago.

"The same ratio of prices prevail in all prime food commodities," said Mr. Hoover. "Two hundred and twenty million loaves of bread are used a month in Belgium, five million tons of condensed milk and two million tons of foodstuffs. There is no starvation there."

Mr. Hoover said that the French people took care of their own in Belgium, but that the funds were administered by Americans in whom the French had the most implicit trust.

Mr. Hoover pointed out that Belgium was between two millstones and that the work of the American Red Cross was rendered extremely difficult and politically exact because of this. He outlined the system of supplying food and the obtaining of funds for its purchase, declaring that great generosity had been exhibited by those contributing. He added that there were 3,500,000 people in Belgium today and that the cost of feeding them amounted to \$10,000,000 a month.

Governor Whitman was present in the assembly chamber during the address of Mr. Hoover. That \$150,000,000 had been spent in America, resulting in a profit of \$30,000,000 to this country, was another point brought out by Mr. Hoover.

UNDER THE  
CAPITOL DOME

Senator John Sharp Williams.

Washington, Feb. 28.—Senator John Sharp Williams of Mississippi thinks that the international situation in which the United States finds itself is like unto that of a man who has been kicked, thrice, whose attacker has advertised that he is about to kick him a fourth time, and who then announces that he will hold no further conversation with the belligerent one. At least, Senator Williams so expressed himself on the floor of the senate.

Senator Williams remarked that there is a division of sentiment in the United States. Senator Borah wanted to know if there was anything of which Senator Williams was cognizant which would lead Germany to such a belief, to which the senator from Mississippi replied.

"Why, yes, a thousand things, from Bryan down to ninetines; debates upon this floor, disputes upon the floor of the other house, attacking the president for what he has done, which was the least that he could do—to sever diplomatic relations. It is as if the senator from Idaho had kicked me once and then had kicked me again and then had kicked me for the third time and advertised to me publicly in a letter that he was going to kick me a fourth time, and as if I had then said, 'Well, I will quit speaking to you.'"

## Lecture For P. T. Associations.

An unusually interesting historical lecture will be given at the High School on the evening of Friday, March 9th, under the patronage of all of the Parent Teacher Associations of the schools of Kingston. The lecturer will be Arthur P. Abbott, who will give an educational travelogue on "The First American." The subject of the lecture is to present the American Indian race in its purity. He will also show the connection between the ancient civilization of the race and the Mexican troubles. An admission of twenty-five cents for adults and fifteen for children, will be charged to defray expenses, and to augment the fund of the association with which it may carry on its work.

## Home From "The Front."

Privates McCullough, Krause, Carter and Shultz were home today from "the front." They arrived in town on Tuesday evening in charge of Sergeant Beatty, who also visited his home. They report everything fine along the aqueduct and in the camp at Ireland Corners.

## Annual Church Meeting.

The annual business meeting and election of officers of the Wurts Street Baptist Church will be held Thursday evening in the chapel. All members of the congregation are urged to be present.

CARUSO IN JAIL  
FOR CARRYING GUN

Caruso, not the famous tenor, but Agostino Caruso of the town of Saugerties, is in the county jail having been committed by Justice Childester of Saugerties to wait the action of the grand jury. Caruso was committed for violating section 1897 of the penal law, that being the section concerning the carrying of concealed weapons. It is alleged that Caruso was carrying a revolver and during an argument, to make his story forceful, pointed the gun at Anthony Clarante and as a result was arrested and turned over to Sheriff Shultis for safe keeping.

## AUTOMOBILE NOTES.

Walden village is to be urged to purchase a Ford for the use of the official dog-catcher whose territory extends some distance into the country.

Every garage and accessory store in Newburgh is busily engaged in working for the Auto Show at the armory in that city on March 8, 9 and 10. Speaker Thaddeus C. Sweet of the assembly and other men prominent in the public life will open the show which, the Newburgh men say, will be one of the biggest auto advertising features in the Hudson Valley this season. Among those present will be: Highway Commissioner Duffey, Senator James A. Emerson of Warrenburg, Senator Charles W. Walton of Kingston, Senator Ross Graves of Buffalo, Senator John D. Stivers of Middletown, Assemblyman Frederick A. Wells of Brooklyn, Assemblyman Erastus Corning Davis of Poughkeepsie, Assemblyman Franklin W. Judson of Gates, and Assemblyman Frank Gardner of Poughkeepsie.

## Highland Has Dog-Poisoner.

The village of Highland is much aroused over the depredations committed recently by a dog-poisoner. A large reward is being offered for information leading to the conviction of the guilty person or persons. Dogs belonging to A. W. Lent, Russell Wyckoff, Mrs. Brundage and the great Dane owned by Leo Franze have received a dose of the poison, and all except the great Dane succumbed. It was only through the prompt attendance of Dr. Faust, of Poughkeepsie, that the Franze dog was saved.

## The Polymyelitis Clinic.

The number of patients examined at the clinic held at the court house Tuesday under direction of the state department of health for victims of the infantile paralysis epidemic of last summer totalled twenty-eight. All the examinations were made by Drs. Lovett, Whitman and Hodgen, who went to Poughkeepsie late in the afternoon and held a clinic there today for the benefit of the Dutchess county patients.

## At Church of Comforter.

Preparatory services for the communion service next Sunday will be held Thursday evening at the Reformed Church of the Comforter. Members of the church and those desiring to unite are requested to be present. The Rev. W. F. Stowe, pastor of the church, will preach a short sermon and the first part of the form for the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be read. Services commence at 7:30 o'clock.

## Chautauqua Opens April 18.

Word has been received from the managers of the Chautauqua circuit who supply Kingston with Chautauqua entertainments that the Kingston Chautauqua will open for one week on Wednesday, April 18. A public meeting of the local guarantors will be held on March 14th, at which time Mrs. Hershey, the superintendent of arrangements, will be present to outline the program, and at which time also the local officers will be elected.

## Missing Link Found.

An absent-minded man, who two months ago found a short gold-plated key chain on Railroad avenue, with a key at one end and a wolf's head at the other, left the article at this office to await the claimant.

## H. C. of L. Hits S. S. Sale.

The food sale announced by the "Wavers" Sunday school class has been indefinitely postponed on account of the high prices of sugar and other articles of food.—Walden Citizen-Herald.

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| \$28 Kuppenheimer Suits and Overcoats. Clearing Sale Price .....    | 22.40   |
| \$30 Kuppenheimer Suits and Overcoats. Clearing Sale Price .....    | 24.00   |

United Clothes  
Suits and Overcoats

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| \$10.00 United Clothes, Suits and Overcoats. Sale Price ..... | \$8.00 |
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| \$18.00 United Clothes, Suits and Overcoats. Sale Price ..... | 14.40  |

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## BLOOMINGTON.

Bloomington, Feb. 28.—The Lord's Supper will be observed in the Bloomingdale Reformed Church on Sunday, March 4. Services at 2 p. m. The Rev. Mr. Pothemus of Port Ewen will be with us.

The Christian Endeavor topic for Sunday evening is "Service," Jas. 1: 19-27. (Consecration meeting.) Leader will be Miss Myrtle Osborn.

Miss Margaret Douglas, who underwent a serious operation at the Benedictine Sanitarium the past week, is doing as well as can be expected.

Mr. Zuelch and son of Brooklyn, returned on Saturday to their home in the city, after spending a few days here with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. Zuelch.

The Christian Endeavor held their executive meeting on Monday evening of the past week for transacting business.

Raymond L. Schoonmaker and Miss Gladys Mowers and Andrew Knapp and Miss Isabel Schoonmaker of Marlborough were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George L. LeFever.

We are glad to have Miss Alice Hess and her mother, Mrs. Hess, back again with us, as they have been away for the winter, but returned one day of the past week to their home.

Rumor says we are to have a number of weddings near Whiteport in the near future.

Fred Bordenstein, who has been home for the winter, starts Thursday for Coxsack, where he has employment on the state road.

Miss Jennie Gue and sister Miss Flanche of Kingston spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gue of Creek Locks.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. LeFever visited Kingston on Tuesday afternoon.

Dr. C. V. Hasbrouck of Rosendale and Dr. Stern of Rondout were called to this place one day of the past week on business.



## NEW FACES THAT WILL APPEAR IN SIXTY-FIFTH CONGRESS

Three national figures who will take their places in the senate of the sixty-fifth congress for the first time. The country will await with a great deal of interest to learn how these men will commit themselves on the grave international issues facing the government. Sixteen new senators altogether will take their seats when the sixty-fifth congress convenes, but of the sixteen these are the most prominent.

Philander C. Knox formerly was a secretary of state and has been nationally prominent in politics for years. He will represent Pennsylvania.

Hiram Johnson is a Progressive Republican and will represent California, of which he was governor up to the time of his election to the senate.

Frank B. Kellogg is known as a "trust buster," having handled much of the Taft and Roosevelt administration "trust busting" prosecutions as special counsel for the department of justice. He will represent Minnesota.

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FARRBERG-HORCHST COMPANY will  
be held at the office of the company at  
Port Ewen, in the town of Rosopus, county  
of Ulster, and state of New York, on the  
first day of March, 1917, at two o'clock p.  
m. for the purpose of electing five (5) di-  
rectors for the ensuing year, and two (2)  
inspectors of election, for the purpose of  
ascertaining the acts of the board of directors  
and officers of the corporation in the con-  
duct of the corporation's business during  
the fiscal year ending December 31, 1916,  
and for the transaction of such other busi-  
ness as may come before such meeting.  
Witness my hand and seal this 22nd day of  
February, 1917.  
A. H. HEIN,  
Secretary.**She Was Hygienic.**A woman who has a three-year-old  
daughter thought she would prevent  
the child from touching plants in new  
window boxes by telling her not to  
go near the plants, for there might be  
bugs in the earth that would bite. She  
left the child alone a short while and  
when she came back found the earth  
thrown right and left. And before  
she could call the child to task, the  
little one looked at her proudly and  
said, "I didn't get bitten, mother; I  
didn't put my hands in the dirt—I  
used a spoon."—Worcester Evening  
Post.**NOTICE TO CREDITORS.**In pursuance  
of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surro-  
gate of Ulster county, notice is hereby  
given, according to law, to all persons having  
claims against the estate of William G. Kin-  
sley, late of the city of Kingston, county of  
Ulster, deceased, intestate, to present the same with  
vouchers in support thereof, to the un-  
derassigned, Thomas D. R. Embree, the ex-  
ecutor of the estate of said deceased, at his  
residence, 100 Pine street, Kingston, on or  
before the first day of June, 1917.  
Dated, November 22, 1916.  
THOMAS D. R. EMBREE,  
As Executor, etc., of DeWitt  
Van Buren, deceased.  
Y. B. Van Wageningen, Attorney, King-  
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vouchers in support thereof, to the un-  
derassigned, Merritt B. Kingsley, the ad-  
ministrator of the estate of said de-  
ceased, at his residence, 317 W. Thomas  
street, in the city of Rome, Oneida county,  
N. Y., on or before the first day of May,  
1917.  
Dated, October 24, 1917.  
MERRITT B. KINGSLEY,  
Administrator.  
Ward J. Cagwin, Attorney, Rome, N. Y.**GRAPHIC ACCOUNT  
OF WAR IN TURKEY**Fully six hundred people were in  
attendance at the first of the Post  
Jubilee Lecture Course lectures,  
given in the First Dutch Reformed  
Church Tuesday evening. The Rev.  
Arthur S. Cole, pastor of the Albany  
Avenue Baptist Church, introduced  
the speaker, Dr. Clarence D. Ussher,  
who spoke thrillingly of "War in  
Turkey," and incidentally disclosed  
some interesting facts relative to  
European history of the past three  
years. Dr. Ussher first told of the  
mission at Darma, which included  
representatives of all denomina-  
tions, working together in such unity  
that Christianity as a whole was pre-  
sented to the natives. He was the  
only medical missionary. The set-  
tlement of the Morocco dispute, dur-  
ing Roosevelt's administration put  
an end to a promised massacre at  
that time, and the country settled  
down to the growing belief incul-  
cated by official Germany, that the  
Germans were like the Mohammed-  
dans. So adroitly was this idea im-  
planted in the Turkish mind, that in  
April of 1914 as the war actually  
began in August, the Turkish sol-  
diers began to mobilize for the  
support of the "European war soon  
to begin."In 1913 Dr. Ussher crossed the  
entire width of Turkey to Jerusalem,  
and on approaching that city first  
noted the tower of the German Hospi-  
tal on the top of the Mount of  
Olives. Later being shown through  
the remarkable building with its elab-  
orate rooms, in the chief of which  
was the portrait of the Kaiser, he  
asked if all of the elaborate and re-  
markable detail of modern con-  
venience was just for the accommo-  
dation of pilgrims, especially as the  
place had its sweeping search  
light, its guns, etc. He was told to  
look down from the tower and there,  
to his amazement saw a double row  
of wire entanglements. His re-  
peated inquiries brought out the  
answer that the place would be used  
as the palace of the German gover-  
nor of Palestine. It had been built  
and paid for by the Kaiser, and  
when he asked what it was finally  
to be used for, he was reluctantly  
told that from there the Kaiser  
would rule his world kingdom. This  
was one year before the war, and he  
laughed at the story as one of the  
absurd yarns that even intelligent  
people invent.Dr. Ussher then most vividly de-  
scribed the mobilization of the Tur-  
kish army, of the openly expressed  
intention to do away with the entire  
non-Muslim population, foreign as  
well as native, and of the successful  
efforts to carry out the threat in so  
many cases. In spite of the extra-  
territorial rights of the mission un-  
der the American flag and protec-  
tion, they were invaded by Ottoman  
officers and were finally saved by the  
timely intervention of the Russian  
consul. The governor general of-  
fered his official apology, thus sav-  
ing not only this mission, but many  
others from the Turkish invasion.  
While the audience was more than  
once horrified by what they were told  
of the Turkish situation, the mas-  
sacres, especially in relation to the  
Armenians of the highest class,  
these who were graduates of Ameri-  
can Colleges, were professional men,  
etc., they sat spell bound under the  
thrilling accounts of personal expe-  
riences, especially during the siege of  
Darma. In spite of guns and bombs,  
only one little Armenian girl of all  
the refugees and regular inhabitants  
of the mission was injured during the  
siege, it seeming indeed that the  
merciful hand of God protected them.  
Finally the Russian soldiery  
arrived in time to save the city and  
the Armenian quarters, but the Cos-  
sacks were found to be almost as  
bad as the Turks, which promises  
none too well if Russian occupation  
occurs. The lecture was long but  
it was so thrilling that every word  
was listened to with rapt attention.The second lecture of the course  
will take place on the evening of  
March 21st at the Park Street Re-  
formed Church, the lecturer being  
the Rev. Eliot White of Ossining.  
In spite of the error in printing on  
the tickets and the error in the an-  
nouncement last evening, Mr. White  
is not and has not been at any time  
a "Post" chaplain. He was for three  
years the "Post" Chaplain of the  
Port of New York, in many ways the  
greatest and most remarkable port  
in the world, and he will speak on  
"A Post Chaplain's Experiences with  
the Stranger from Many Lands."**Church of the Holy Spirit.**Lenten services in the Church of  
the Holy Spirit, Wurts street, the  
Rev. John James Bott, rector, will be  
held as follows:  
This evening at 7:30, prayer and  
sermon by the Ven. Rev. W. H. Pitt,  
D. D., archdeacon of the diocese of  
New York. Also special music.Friday morning prayer and Litany  
at 10 o'clock.Meeting of the vestry Thursday  
evening at 8 o'clock in rectory.  
Men's Club on Thursday evening  
at 8 o'clock in guild rooms, rectory.  
Choir rehearsal Saturday at 1 p. m.**Sewing Bee.**The Woman's Missionary Society  
of the Roundout Presbyterian Church  
will hold the second of their series of  
sewing bees in the chapel on Thurs-  
day afternoon, March 1, beginning at  
2:30 o'clock. A supper will be  
served by an efficient committee un-  
der the direction of Mrs. James  
Purdy and Miss Sara Huber, for  
which the nominal charge of ten  
cents will be made. All the ladies  
of the congregation are cordially in-  
vited.**Saugetries in Darkness.**Owing to a broken steam pipe in  
the electric plant, the village of Sau-  
getries was in darkness on Monday  
night until after nine o'clock. House-  
s supplied by electricity remained in  
darkness and at the theater there  
was no current to operate the movie  
machine and the show was called  
off.**WHO'LL GUARANTEE  
TABERNACLE FUND?**The committee having charge of  
the disposition of the Delaware Ave-  
nue Tabernacle held a meeting  
Tuesday evening at the Y. M. C. A.,  
at which every member was present.  
A plan was formulated by which  
this committee, consisting of F. R.  
Powley, A. S. Hammond, S. E. Eliza-  
beth, S. M. Watts, C. E. Powell,  
Dwight McEntee, P. H. Carey and  
Harry Watts, agreed to obligate  
themselves to an amount necessary  
to pay the balance of the indebted-  
ness against the tabernacle building  
and to care for and maintain the  
building for one year, provided  
enough people can be secured to  
guarantee the payment for any debts  
that may exist at the end of the year.  
The committee adjourned for one  
week in order to secure the neces-  
sary underwriters to back this  
committee which is willing to as-  
sume this liability.**PORT EWEN.**Port Ewen, Feb. 28.—The Rev.  
F. W. Moot, pastor of the Congrega-  
tional Church of Ponckhockie,  
preached a very powerful and deep-  
rooted sermon Tuesday evening at  
the evangelistic service in the Re-  
formed Church from these words:  
"He that believeth and is baptized  
shall be saved, but he that disbe-  
lieveth shall be condemned." Mark  
16-16. Mr. Moot is a wonder-  
ful expounder of the gospel  
truth and dwelled largely on the  
theme of his text, "The Penalty of  
Doing Nothing," and made it very  
plain to his attentive hearers what  
an idle life means to a church com-  
munity and a home, and spoke in  
such a feeling manner that brought  
tears to many eyes and made an im-  
pression of religious living that  
ought to be coveted by all believers  
of the gospel. The Rev. Mr. Moot  
will preach this evening, Mrs. John  
Osterhout of Ponckhockie will ac-  
company him and assist in the ser-  
vice by singing. All members of the  
organizations mentioned will be  
present in the Sunday school room  
at 7:30 sharp to march in the church  
in a body. A large attendance is ex-  
pected and those who stay at home  
will miss a rare treat and very deep  
thoughts.Mrs. William Fox of Kingston was  
the guest of her sister, Mrs. Clar-  
ence Hotelling, on Broadway, Tues-  
day.The W. C. T. U. will hold a  
Frances Willard Memorial Social at  
the home of Mrs. Charles Niece Fri-  
day evening, March 9.Mrs. Euley and family, who have  
been living in the house of Egbert  
Ellsworth on Salem street, moved to  
Wilbur Tuesday.Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coutant and  
son, James, have moved from South  
Broadway to the farm house of  
Leslie Herring in Ulster Park.The regular monthly meeting of  
the Ladies' Aid Society of the Meth-  
odist Church will be held in the  
chapel Thursday afternoon at 5  
o'clock. A large attendance is  
desired.A meeting of the town board was  
held at the office of the town clerk,  
George Fairbrother, on Green  
street.Frederick Spinneweber, who has  
spent a few days at his home on  
Green street, returned to New York  
city Tuesday.Mrs. Clarence Cole of Ulster Park  
is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Mary  
A. Beckwith, on Green street.

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metal net top lace. A touch of fur  
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testines. It acts as a lubricant and  
nothing else, though it tends to heal  
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caused by rough particles of food.The New York Medical Journal  
says mineral oil should be taken  
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ner, two tablespoonfuls being a dose.  
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day for at least a fortnight, when  
the bowels will continue to work  
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which may be of use in times of  
peace as well as war, and will pre-  
pare those receiving their certificate  
at the end of the course, to assist in  
certain lines of nursing work in case  
of war if they so desire. The meet-  
ing on Friday will be in charge of  
Mrs. Fessenden, Red Cross secretary,  
and Miss Lampman of Port Ewen,  
registered Red Cross nurse. At this  
time the class will be organized—it  
must have a president, secretary and  
treasurer—dues of 50 cents collect-  
ed and names, addresses and dues  
forwarded to Washington for the  
formal founding of the class. There  
will be no instruction given on Fri-  
day, but these plans will be complet-  
ed, and the time and place of meet-  
ing, etc., etc., then decided upon, so  
it is imperative that all who desire  
to join the class be present.**WHITFIELD.**Whitfield, Feb. 28.—Ernest Tam-  
ney of New Paltz visited this place  
on Sunday last.Abel Quick of New Paltz visited  
his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Quick,  
on Sunday.Mr. and Mrs. D. Van Wageningen, also  
Mrs. D. Barley spent a pleasant day  
at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Dem-  
orest at Rosendale.Mrs. T. Quick is improving at this  
time.James Van Wageningen has reached  
his eighty-third birthday and is still  
 hale and hearty.Mrs. Sarah Hendrickson is seventy-  
five years of age. She is living with  
Mrs. Markle at this place.Mrs. Norman Bedford is visiting  
her mother, Mrs. Jerome Dann.Mrs. Albert Barley called on Sun-  
day to visit her aunt, Sarah.Miss Bernice Quick is ill with stom-  
ach trouble. She is much better at  
this time.

Jacob Rider has a sick horse.

Jack Frost has entered a few cel-  
lars.It has the appearance of spring to-  
day.James Lounsbury is ill. His daugh-  
ter is with him at present.

John B. Rider is also quite ill.

**New York Produce Market.**Wheat—Firm. May, Chicago,  
180 1/2 @ 180 1/2; July, Chicago,  
154 1/2 @ 154 1/2; Sept., Chicago,  
142 1/2 @ 142 1/2; spot No. 2 red  
winter, 195 c. i. f. New York to ar-  
rive, 201 f. o. b. to arrive.

Corn—Firm. No. 2 yellow new, \$1.14 1/2.

Oats—Steady. Fancy white, 77

c. i. f. 79c; ordinary clipped, 75 c. i. f. 77c;

standard, 77c; No. 3 white, 77c; No.

4 white, 76 1/2 c.

Rye—Quiet. No. 2 western, \$1.57;

c. i. f. New York state, 1.60 f. o. b.

New York.

Barley—Quiet. Malt, nominal;

c. i. f. Buffalo; feeding, \$1.17 c. i. f.

Buffalo.

Hay—Steady. No. 1, \$1.65 @

\$1.10; No. 2, 70 @ 75c; clover

mixed, 55 @ 55c.

Straw—Steady. No. 1 straight

rye, 60 @ 70c.

Flour—Dull. Spring patents,

\$8.65 @ \$8.90; straights, \$8.20 @

\$8.55; clears, \$7.60 @ \$7.55; winter

patents, \$8.35 @ \$8.60; straights,

\$8.00 @ \$8.25; clears, \$7.65 @

\$7.90.

Potatoes—Dull. White, nearby,

\$8 @ \$10; Bermudas, \$7.50 @

\$11.50; southern, \$3.50 @ \$7.50;

Jersey sweets, \$1.00 @ \$2.25 per

basket.

Dressed Poultry—Dull. Broilers

capons and chickens, 18 @ 35c;

fowls, 17 1/2 @ 24c; turkeys, 20 @

31c; ducks, 18 @ 24c; geese, 16

@ 21c.

Live Poultry—Unsettled. Chick-

ens, 19 @ 20c; fowls, 18 @ 19c;

roosters, 15 1/2 c.

Butter—Continues to decline.

Held and fresh. Creamery extra,

38 @ 40 1/2 c; creamery firsts, 37 @

39 1/2 c; higher scoring, 38 1/2 @ 42c;

state dairy, tubs, 30 @ 40c; process

extra, 33 1/2 @ 34c; imitation firsts,

31 1/2 @ 32c.

Eggs—Faster. Nearby white,

fancy, 39 @ 40c; nearby brown,

fancy, 36 @ 37c; extras, 35 1/2 @

36c; firsts, 34 @ 34 1/2 c.







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Edwin Duffey, state commissioner of highways in New York, is considered one of the ablest authorities on road building in the country. In speaking of federal aid for state roads, he said:

"With the release of the first units from the \$75,000,000 appropriation approved by the United States government for aid to the states in road building, New York state has held out to it an offer of approximately \$4,000,000. If the state takes advantage of this sum and appropriates a like amount, the resultant \$8,000,000 will be a fund additional to the \$100,000,000 voted by the people of this state for the improvement of its road system."

"The situation is of more than a state-wide importance, as the fund thus established would aid materially in supplying money to improve roads leading out of New York. As an example, Chautauqua county, large in area, and containing heavy mileage on its county and state highway systems, faces a deficit for both of these groups of roads from the bond issue money. With the allotment to New York of this supplemental \$8,000,000, equivalent to approximately 550 miles of new construction, money enough would be assured to meet the great Buffalo western connection on the shore of Lake Erie. As it is now, great gaps of this trunk line would remain unimproved after the county had expended its bond issue money."

### PLUTARCH.

Plutarch, Feb. 28.—There will not be any preaching next Sunday, but Sunday school will be at the usual time.

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet at the church on Wednesday afternoon, March 7. All members are requested to be present as business of importance is to come before this meeting. All ladies interested in church work are invited to come and join this society.

Miss Florence Bennett daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Bennett, who have a summer home here, and John Swartz, were married at the bride's home in Hempstead, L. I., on Washington's birthday. Her many friends extend congratulations.

William Van Vliet has opened a grocery store at his home here. Give him a call. Prices to suit all.

Lewis Light has gone to Tillson where he is working on a sawmill.

Mrs. H. McCormick spent the week end with her son and wife in Poughkeepsie.

Frank Schimpf has sold his farm to some Italians.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McKnight entertained some out of town friends over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McCormick of 26 Grand street, Poughkeepsie, are rejoicing over the arrival of a young daughter. Mother and child are doing well.

Mrs. Henry Selderheck is entertaining her brother from New Jersey.

The members of the Ladies' Aid Society and Girls' Club will give an entertainment in the church on Tuesday evening, March 6, consisting of three farces, reading, solos and recitations. The following are the casts taking part: Piano Vell—"Silver Slough Bells," Mrs. Allan Tobias; Jubilee Medley or Patriotic Airs, by several ladies; Reading—"The Busy-body," Mrs. Frank McKnight.

A Farce—"This is So Sudden."

**McENELLY'S**  
FRIDAY, MARCH 2

Gertrude, aged twenty-five, Lois Reylea, Florence aged twenty, Marion McKnight, Marie, aged twenty-two, Anna Dirk, Helen, a woman of the world, Mrs. Frank McKnight, Margaret a society girl, Maybelle Carroll, Solo—"Sunshine and Smiles," Mrs. Allan Tobias, Recitation.

A Farce—"Our Aunt From California," Felicia Needy, Mrs. Allan Tobias; Rosalie Needy, Miss Helen Bedell; Sally Needy, Mrs. H. McCormick; sisters, Mrs. Needy, their mother, Mrs. Dennis Carroll, Miss Willcoxingba, a dressmaker, Miss Mildred Light, Mrs. Merry Monteburn, their aunt from California, Mrs. James Tobias, Solo, "Come Let's Be Sweethearts Once More," Miss Marion McKnight, Recitation, Miss Lois Reylea.

A Farce—"Train Leaves in Ten Minutes," Frank Gray, Lewis Ruger, Mrs. Frank Gray, Marion McKnight, Betty Gray, Maud Van Nostrand, Song, "All Hail to Our Flag," by several ladies.

Admission, adults 20 cents; children under twelve, 10 cents. Ice cream extra; cake free. Come one, come all and enjoy a good laugh. Proceeds for benefit of the church.

### WEST PARK.

West Park, Feb. 28.—Mrs. Frank Quinn of New York city spent a few days the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Cudney.

Mrs. John Demaron and daughter, Mrs. Harvey Ostrander are visiting in New York city.

Mrs. William Burger and daughter Lillian spent Monday in Poughkeepsie.

Mrs. Vincent Quinn and Miss Don Casey, Donney, spent Saturday with friends in Pleasant Valley.

Harry Weezenaar, Jr., of New York city spent the week end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Weezenaar in this place.

Mrs. Pierre Travis has returned home, after a visit in New York city.

Elisha Smith is critically ill at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mackey

spent a day last week in Poughkeepsie.

Mrs. Walter Burger spent Friday in Poughkeepsie.

Mrs. Gilbert Drake spent a day last week with her nephew, Fred Gans, who is ill at his home in Highland.

Mrs. Deputy Davis of Kingston is visiting at the home of her brother, George C. Hasbrouck.

Mrs. Gilbert Ackert and daughter Mrs. Chester Elliott spent a day last week in Poughkeepsie.

Miss Anna Kniffin, who is ill with scarlet fever, is gaining nicely at this writing, under the care of Dr. George Ross of Port Ewen.

Mrs. James Hasbrouck is ill at the home of her son, George C. Hasbrouck.

Mrs. J. R. Simmons, who has been very ill, is on the gain at this writing. Her many friends here hope for her fast recovery.

Skating on the Hudson is being greatly enjoyed by the young people of this place.

Mrs. H. Cudney is ill and under the doctor's care.

Jesse Jones spent Friday in Kingston.

### BONTICOU.

Bonticou, Feb. 28.—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schaaf and little Miss Evelyn returned home from a visit to New York and New Jersey last week.

Mrs. A. Goepferich, who has been making a prolonged visit at her daughter's in New York city, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Geary spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Kingston.

The young people of this place are anticipating some good times at several parties to be held in the near future.

### A Quiet Day in Court.

Today was a very quiet day in recorder's court no cases being brought to the attention of Recorder Lang when he convened court this morning.

## APPEAL FOR AID FOR FAMILIES OF CO. M

Everyone in the city and county is now given an opportunity to display their patriotism by assisting in furnishing financial aid to the families of the members of Company M who are now in need of help. Many of the "boys" left a wife and children or others dependent upon their wages, and in most cases their wages stopped when they marched away behind the flag. The Company M Relief Committee appointed a soliciting committee who are desirous of obtaining a continuous income which will provide sufficiently for these dependents while Company M is on duty in order that they might be assured of having the necessary amount each week needed by the families, the soliciting committee decided to provide pledges so that all citizens can contribute according to their means.

The pledge card calls for a certain amount each month in advance beginning with March 1st. The committee feels that it is a duty which is due to the members of Company M and their families. The committee will need the minimum sum of \$150.00 per week for the families. The patriotism of those not members of Company M is measured by their willingness to help those who are members. The city and county are answerable and accountable. Measure up to your sense of responsibility. Cut out the following pledge, fill it in according to your pocket-book and mail it at once to Mayor Palmer Canfield, Jr., who is chairman of the soliciting committee, and if you can, send your first month's pledge with it.

Company M. Soliciting Committee,

Palmer Canfield, Jr., Chairman, Kingston, N. Y.

I hereby pledge myself to pay \_\_\_\_\_ Dollars (\$\_\_\_\_\_)

per month in advance, beginning March 1st, 1917, for the relief of the dependents of Company M, and for the needs of the men of the company.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

### His Enjoyable Trip.

"Have a big time on your trip to New York?" "Oh, yes; I invited a native New Yorker to go out and see his town and he seemed delighted with it."—Florida Times-Union.

### Cleans Coral Beads.

To clean coral beads, dissolve a teaspoon of borax in a pint of warm water. Dip the coral in, and when clean pass through tepid water. Dry by rolling in a soft towel.

## NOTICE!

Order Now Before All Prices Advance April 1st  
All Models \$25 Higher After Above Date

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Big Sturdy Delivery Truck (½ ton capacity) at Price of a good horse and wagon

What assurance has the prospective buyer that the VIM Delivery Truck will give him longer and better service than any other commercial car and what is the evidence to show that this light truck is a better investment to the merchant than a horse and wagon, a converted pleasure car or an expensive-to-buy-and-to-run ton truck?

Everywhere, under all conditions, the VIM is daily proving that it is cheaper to operate per mile than a horse and wagon or any other automobile, that it has the added advantage of quick delivery, which means increased opportunities to the merchant or farmer; that it is the logical power for 85% of all delivery work is demonstrated by the fact that the VIM is now sold in larger quantities than any other delivery car in the world.

The best guarantee that the VIM is right mechanically is that the best dealers everywhere throughout America have put their stamp of approval upon it. Motor truck manufacturers are now surprised to find that only two years' concentration on quantity and perfection of one model only has made us the largest exclusive producers of Motor Trucks in the world.

The VIM in usual moderate-sized production could not be sold for less than Twelve Hundred Dollars and is not now equalled at that price. Realizing these facts, the experienced dealers everywhere have applied for the VIM agency, so that we have had our pick in prominent centers of the greatest best qualified to sell and to serve. That these experienced and prominent dealers in 442 cities are re-ordering in quantities which have caused three additions to our four big Philadelphia plants and the erection of a new \$1,000,000 plant, now nearing completion, has proved that the merchant runs no risk in making up his delivery equipment exclusively with the now famous VIM chassis, outfitted with the particular type of body desirable for his particular business.

Price of Chassis, \$635

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**\$695**  
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Catalogue and name of nearest dealer on request  
Sales and Service Stations in 442 Cities in the United States and Canada

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Model D  
**\$725 Complete**

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Cor. Broadway and St. James Street, Kingston, N. Y.

PHONE 1300

The best nose and throat specialists say we should never blow both nostrils at once.  
A Hungarian inventor has succeeded in perfecting a wooden soled shoe that is flexible.  
The letters E. P. N. S. on silver plated teapots mean "electro plate on nickel silver."  
A dash of lemon juice in water makes a good tooth wash and sweetens the breath.



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Classified advertisements in this department will be inserted at the rate of one cent per word for the first insertion. If an advertisement is continued for more than one month, the advertiser will be charged one-half cent per word for each subsequent month. No advertisement will be accepted for less than 10 cents. If inserted by mail, the advertiser may be left at our main office, 100 Broadway, or at our branch office, 100 Park St. Also at the following places:

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AT NEW YORK, 100 Broadway.  
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## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—New and second hand stores and fixtures. Also second hand furniture and household goods. Complete. Has a new stove. Morris Kaplan, 30 North Front St. Kingston. Phone 611-J.

FOR SALE—Two flags, 10x12 standard. \$7.00 each. Phone 1706-W.

FOR SALE—Bargains in new and slightly used pianos. W. H. Rider, 304 Wall St. N. Y.

FOR SALE—Automatic cellar drainers. Canfield Supply Co., 16-18 Strand, Kingston, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Team bay horses; very suitable for farm work. Gregory & Co.

FOR SALE—1,000 ten-foot chestnut fence posts. Clyde Winchell, Shaban.

FOR SALE—Ten tons of good hay, baled. Also two horse, bumper wagon; cheap. Baldwin's Hotel, Rifton.

FOR SALE—Fruit and poultry farm of about 15 acres, with the celebrated "Old Van Ockeburk" 311 Clifton Ave.

FOR SALE—100 White Leghorns, 25 White Rocks, selected stock. Phone 1292-R.

FOR SALE—Mathushek pianos, distinct features are reason for the enormous sales. Sounding board cannot crack, the tuning pins cannot loosen. Reduces cost of repairs by having the celebrated Mathushek. My correct name is A. E. Thomas, the Reliable Dealer. Sales room 52 John St., Kingston Conservatory.

FOR SALE—1916 Vim truck. Stryker-Toumans Co. garage.

FOR SALE—1,500 tons of ice, with large ice house, completely equipped. Two large ponds in connection with same. Also stocked with fish; also good ice business, including 20 acres of tillable land; 4 room house, barn and outbuildings; near Kingston. All for \$5,500. Terms can be arranged to suit buyer. M. A. Bels and Son, 555 Broadway, Kingston, N. Y.

FOR SALE—1914 T. passenger Studebaker. The new for sale cheap. Stryker-Toumans Co. garage.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—House, 115 Spring St.; all improvements. F. J. Walker.

FOR SALE—Square piano; cheap. Phone 1701-T.

FOR SALE—Ford runabout, good running condition. Phone Kingston 9-F-31.

FOR SALE—Automobile truck; also runabout. Prestolite tank, two 50-gallon pump tanks; see them at garage. 221 Downs St.

FOR SALE—5 passenger Studebaker, run 5,500 miles. A. L. Harder, Lake Katrine.

FOR SALE—Salt hay. Edw. T. McGinn, 187 Broadway.

FOR SALE—Photo supplies, film, plates, camera, printing paper, etc. O'Reilly's, 180 Broadway.

## FURNISHED ROOMS.

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms, 75 Cedar St.

DEIRABLE ROOM and board, uptown. Phone 996-W.

LARGE, well heated rooms; table board. Sherwood Lodge, 317 Clifton Ave.

FURNISHED ROOMS—98 Clifton Ave.

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FURNISHED ROOMS—112 Hone St.

FURNISHED ROOMS—Clean, well heated; gentlemen preferred. Address "Mantua" Uptown Freeman.

FURNISHED housekeeping apartments, 60 Cedar St. Phone 1117.

FURNISHED ROOMS—50 Hoffman St.

FURNISHED ROOMS—102 Hone St.

FURNISHED ROOMS, with board, 20 Adams St.

FURNISHED ROOMS—Single or housekeeping. 320% Wall St.

## WANTED.

WANTED—To buy, second hand clothes. Address 160-W.

WANTED—License No. A-4-066 Commercial. A. Terpin.

WANTED—Strippers; pay 5 and 6 cents pound. J. E. M. Walker, 49 Hasbrouck.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED ROLLERS AND BUNCHMAKERS, AND GIRLS AND BOYS TO LEARN CHAIR MAKING. \$4.00 PER WEEK PAID WHILE LEARNING. LAST YEAR OUR EMPLOYEES SAVED \$14,000. G. W. VAN SLIKE & HORTON.

WANTED—National Cash Register; state description and price. Charles Kurtz, 10 East 116th St., N. Y. City.

WANTED—Willow baby carriage. Phone 262-W.

WANTED—500 men to know that main springs are 500; guaranteed one year. Robinson & Co., 43 North Front St.

WANTED—Cook, United States Hotel, 650 Broadway.

WANTED—500 cords of dry wood; will pay good price; delivered at once. H. H. Clearwater, kindling wood yard, Kingston, N. Y.

WANTED—Your developing and printing. Prompt 24 hour service. Satisfaction guaranteed. O'Reilly's, 650 Broadway.

WANTED—Help. Uptown Employment Agency, 336 Clifton Ave. Phone 1234-R.

WANTED—To buy, second hand clothing. Phone 1014-W.

## POSITION WANTED.

ONE man wants to learn to run an automobile. Willing to pay for expert instruction. Apply at 650 Broadway, The Broadway House.

DAY'S DRINGS  
IN CONGRESS

By Telegraph to The Freeman.  
Washington, Feb. 28.—Senate met at 10 o'clock.  
House met at 11 o'clock to vote on sundry civil appropriation bill.  
House foreign affairs committee considered in executive session the Wood bill to arm merchantmen.  
Senate resumed debate on the revenue bill.  
Senate military affairs committee completed draft of army appropriation bill.

Happy Thought.  
What's the sense of getting sore?  
Don't be a hangnail.

## One Cent Per Word

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## LOST.

LOST—Red knitted scarf, on Foxhall or Hasbrouck Ave. Leave at Zebe's, 202 Foxhall Ave.

LOST—Purse, containing sum of money, between Strand and Hasbrouck Ave. Reward if left at Downtown Freeman.

## FEMALE HELP WANTED.

POSITIONS ARE OPEN AT FULLER'S SHIRT FACTORY FOR GIRLS TO OPERATE POWER SEWING MACHINES. EXPERIENCE NOT ESSENTIAL. ALL GOOD WAGES ARE ASSURED WHILE LEARNING. FULLER'S SHIRT FACTORY, FINE GROVE AVE.

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WANTED—Girl for general housework; good wages; references. Mrs. Wm. C. Kingston, 145 Highland Ave.

WANTED—Dining room girl and chambermaid. Hotel Eichler.

EXPERIENCED NECKBANDERS, CUFF MAKERS AND YOKER MAKERS WANTED ON MEN'S SHIRTS. GOOD PAY. STRAIT WORK ALL YEAR. F. JACOBSON & SONS, SMITH AND CORNELL STS., KINGSTON.

WANTED—Woman for general housework. Mrs. Eastman, 49 Spring St.

WANTED—Experienced, non-bonded; steady; who will do all domestic work. Tomlinson Shirt Co., 45 Thomas St.

MILLINER wants position, can make frames, hats and flowers; has had experience in making hats. H. A. Peck, Wallkill, N. Y. R. F. D. No. 1.

WANTED—Experienced hand, also girls to learn banding. G. W. Van Strick, Horn.

WANTED—50 operators; a chance of making the name as already employed hands, which is as high as \$20 per week. Apply at once. J. Davis, 602 Broadway.

WANTED—Girls to operate machines on all parts of shirts; steady; Apply Columbia St. O'Reilly St.

OPERATORS WANTED: BEGINNERS PAID WHILE LEARNING. MILLINER. ALLEN & CO., INC., GREENWICH AVE.

## TO LET.

TO LET—Two room flat with all improvements, and one garage. 113 Abel St.

TO LET—House, 60 Clifton Ave. Inquire Brincker & Canfield, 83 John St.

TO LET—House, 194 Fair St. From May 1st; all improvements. Inquire at 168 Fair. Mrs. John Brodhead.

TO LET—Flat, with improvements; from March 15. 123 Clifton Ave.

TO LET—House, 87 West Chester St. Inquire A. Eichler.

TO LET—A room house. Downs St. Phone 1093-W or 1092-J.

TO LET—Small flat, with all improvements. 154 Foxhall Ave.

TO LET—Rooms on O'Reilly St., house on James Ave.; also flat uptown. Apply N. D. Murphy.

FOR RENT—Flat, 100 Henry St. Apply 60 Clifton Ave.

TO LET—Apartments, 215 Delaware Ave. See broker, 100 Green St. Estate of John N. Cordis.

TO LET—Rooms on O'Reilly. Apply N. D. Murphy.

TO LET—Store and office at 228 Wall St. Office 72-232 Fair St. Stores Hasbrouck Ave. near Strand. Estate of John N. Cordis.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

PIANOS tuned and repaired; terms reasonable. Martha, 186 Prospect St. Phone 1847-W.

HIGHEST price paid for misfit and second hand clothes. Phone 1474-M.

FOR RENT—Peck's 1917 limousine; day and night taxi service. Phone 1161.

MORAN BUSINESS SCHOOL, Fair and Main Sts. Commercial, Stenographic, English, Day and Night. Experienced instructors. Graduates in demand. ENTER NOW.

SPENCER'S SCHOOL, INC. Known by everybody everywhere. Complete courses, large equipment, expert instructors. Graduates hold best positions.

FURNITURE storage. Mouse-proof, anti-rat, fire-proof. Greedick & Winters, Kingston. Phone 1113-J or Brown Auto Supply Co. Phone 1066.

FURNITURE storage; best in city. Harry P. Carr. Phone 1178-J, 5-F.

## MALE HELP WANTED.

"BOOKKEEPER. If you are not satisfied with your present position, and are qualified to fill a good position, you may secure just the position you desire by giving age, experience and references. Address G. P. O. Uptown Freeman."

WANTED—Good, industrious, young man about 18 or 20 years of age to assist machineist. To party possessing proper qualifications an excellent opportunity to learn trade is offered. Fuller's Shirt Factory, Pine Grove Ave.

WANTED—BOYS TO LEARN SHIRT MAKING ON POWER MACHINES. F. JACOBSON & SONS SHIRT FACTORY, SMITH AVE. AND CORNELL ST.

## ADVERTISING WRITING.

UNWISE advertising economy is an acquired habit with many merchants, like olive and moving pictures, but when the habit is continued, it is a curse. They seem to believe that each time they blacken a dollar and lay it away on ice, with drawing it from their advertising expenditures, they have done wisely. Really, such business men are short-changing themselves. Well written advertisements are business getters. The other kind won't do at all. Let me write you, with "pen and punch." George M. Zellmer, care of Downtown Freeman.

WHY NOT RECEIVE  
MAJ. CHANDLER RIGHT

Sergeant Fitzgerald, in charge at the armory, suggests that as Major Chandler returns tomorrow from eight months' service in Texas, it would be a graceful and appreciative act for citizens to display their flags, especially along Broadway. The Freeman further suggests that if a few hundred citizens assembled at the West Shore station when the 5 o'clock train comes in tomorrow afternoon were to so far forget their dignity as to give a few cheers for the Major when he arrives it might show that Kingston is alive. This suggestion is made with the full knowledge that the Major will probably want to "boot" the man who makes it, for having made it, but why shouldn't Kingston show its patriotism even though Major Chandler does not like to have a fuss made over him?

LOCAL DEATH RECORD.  
Recent Deaths and Funerals of Persons in This Vicinity.

Elvira Bell, widow of the recently deceased George E. Atkins, died Feb. 22, at the home of her son Alfred at Obolville. Four children survive her, three by a former marriage and her son Alfred with whom she made her home.

George E. Atkins, a former resident of Accord, died February 17, at the home of his son Alfred at Obolville. He is survived by three sons and one daughter, Abraham of Clintondale, William of New Paltz, Mrs. F. B. Needles of Baltimore, Md., and Alfred with whom he lived.

Joseph E. Brown, formerly of Saugerties, died in a hospital at Jersey City, N. J., last Friday, aged 63 years. He was a son-in-law of Mrs. John K. Robinson of Saugerties and is survived by two children, Mrs. Frederick H. Harper of Springfield, Mass., and Frank Brown of Saugerties. The funeral and interment took place at Saugerties today.

Ann Eliza Hinman died Sunday at the home of her son, John R. Hinman, at Palenville, aged 96 years. She was a daughter of the late Abram and Catherine Rightmeyer of Saugerties. For many years she resided at Palenville, and in 1859 opened the Hinman House for the accommodation of summer boarders. One son, John R. Hinman, and one daughter, Mrs. O. F. Payne, both of Palenville, survive her.

Catherine, widow of James Haggerty, formerly of Sawkill, died at her home, No. 462 Broadway, on Tuesday evening, aged 51 years. She is survived by eleven children, Julia, Mary, Catherine, Agnes, Elizabeth, Patrick, James, Michael, Joseph, William and Helen Haggerty, all of this city. The funeral will be held from the late residence on Saturday morning at 8:30 o'clock, and at 9 o'clock from St. Mary's Church, with interment in St. Mary's Cemetery.

Aida W. Winne, wife of Chauncey P. Finger, died Tuesday at her home at Katsbaan, in her sixty-second year. She was a daughter of the late John Winne. She is survived by her husband and daughter, Mrs. Wallace Dederick of Katsbaan, and five sons, the Rev. Peter W. Finger of Chicago, John K. Finger of Ridgewood, N. J., Claude Finger of Glasco and Victor and Floyd Finger, both of Katsbaan. Two sisters and one brother also survive. The funeral will take place from her late residence on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

William Martin Miner died this morning at his home, No. 153 West Seventy-eighth street, New York city. He was born in Kingston but spent practically all of his life in New York city, where for many years he was prominently identified with the firm of Kaskal & Kaskal. He was a member of the Holland Society of New York and of many New York clubs. His father was the late Martin Miner of this city and he was a brother of the late Lucas V. K. Miner and Mrs. William B. Mickens, both of this city. He is survived by his wife. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

The funeral of the late Thomas J. Diamond, which was held from St. Mary's Church at 10 o'clock this morning, was largely attended and there were many beautiful floral tributes. The pall bearers were the Hon. Andrew J. Cook, Grove Webster, Edward J. McGill, Walter Pates, Sheriff Edgar T. Shultz, John Goldrick, John B. Kearney and Edward Loughran. Ex-Mayor and Mrs. John Irving of Binghamton and Mr. O'Kane of New York city, an uncle of Mr. Diamond, were among those from out of town who attended the funeral. Dean Hickey celebrated the mass and pronounced the eulogy. Father Keefe of Hudson acted as deacon and Father Michael Larkin of St. Gabriel's Church, New York city, as sub-deacon. Fathers Connelly and McLean were within the chancel rail and Fathers Hickey and McLean accompanied the remains to St. Mary's Cemetery, where the interment took place. During the services in the church Mrs. William H. Rieker sang two solos and Mr. McCarthy sang "Beautiful Land on High."

Supplous Man.  
If a man could be aroused as easily as his suspicions are, there wouldn't be much of a demand for alarm clocks.  
—Aitchison Globe.

DIED.  
DOLAN—In this city, Tuesday, February 27, 1917, John J. Dolan, Sr. Funeral from his late residence, 524 Broadway on Friday, March 2, at 9 a. m. and at St. Mary's Church at 9:30, where a high mass of requiem will be offered for the repose of his soul. Interment in St. Mary's cemetery. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

FINANCIAL AND  
COMMERCIAL

By Telegraph to The Freeman.  
New York, Feb. 28.—Business in the late forenoon was extremely quiet. Steel Common sold around 108 1/4, yesterday's closing price. Industrial Alcohol sold at 122 3/4, a net loss of 1 1/4 points. Western Union declined from 93 3/4 to 92 1/4. The copper issues continued to be well held, with Anaconda advancing from 79 1/2 to 80 1/4. Changes in the railway list were small. Money loaning at 2 1/2 per cent.

An unsettled tone was created in the late afternoon, and nearly all the important issues dropped about a point in a few minutes. Bethlehem Steel sold down to 120 and a number of the minor steel industrials dropped from one to two points. Marine Preferred dropped to 68, against 71 1/4 at the opening.

Quotations furnished by John D. Kline Warren Building, Fair street, Kingston, N. Y. Tel. 1423. Correspondent of C. H. Van Buren & Company, members of Consolidated Stock Exchange of New York.

THE CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

Allis-Chalmers 24 1/2

American Beet Sugar 87 1/2

American Can & Foundry 64

American Can 42 1/2

American Cotton Oil 42 1/2

American Locomotive 89

American Smelting & Ref. Co. 95 1/2

American Sugar 110

Anaconda Copper Mining 102 1/2

Atchafalpa, Topeka & Santa Fe 52 1/2

Baltimore & Ohio 78

Bethlehem Steel Co. 120 1/2

Brooklyn Rapid Transit 67 1/2

Canadian Pacific 154

Central Leather 83

Chesapeake & Ohio 85 1/2

Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul 45 1/2

Colonial 40 1/2

Corn Products 64 1/2

Cruicell's Securities 12 1/2

Erie 26

Erie, 1st pfd. 53 1/2

Goodrich Rubber 113

Great Northern pfd. 113 1/2

Interborough Con. 13 1/2

Inter. Con. pfd. 21 1/2

Kansas City Southern 21 1/2

Lehigh Valley 70 1/2

Maxwell Motor 53 1/2

Maxwell Motor, 1st pfd. 53 1/2

Maxwell Motor, 2d pfd. 53 1/2

National Lead 58

New York Central 94 1/2

N. Y. N. H. & H. 43 1/2

New York, Ontario & Western 24 1/2

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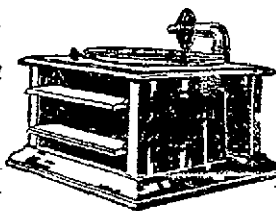
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Well finished mahogany cabinet. Strong motor. plays 2 records with one winding. Small, light and compact—it is easily moved or carried



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273 FAIR ST. KINGSTON



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Radiators, Lamps, Windshields Sold and Exchanged

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**Geo. Hauck & Sons' Brewing Co.**

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## STREET GOSSIP ABOUT TOWN

"We have heard a lot about the shrinking dollar," said the street corner politician to his friend, "but how about the shrinking dollar?"

"How is that?" asked the friend

"Well I read in The Freeman how the price of beer has been boosted," said the politician, "and now I learn that the Sunday newspaper will be advanced a cent on Sunday."

"What's that?" asked the friend

"Sure if you want to buy a Sunday newspaper in Kingston hereafter you will have to pay 8 cents," replied the politician

"All the necessities of life are taking a jump," said the friend with a sigh

"And it would not surprise me," said the politician "if some effort was not made to form a company to control the air supply and make a person pay for breathing."

"They could not do that," exposed the friend

"Yes they could," argued the politician, "they could hang a meter on your neck which would register the amount of breath you inhaled."

"Hardly likely that will happen though," said the friend with a sigh of relief

"You never can tell what is going to happen next," remarked the politician

"What do you think of this idea of lengthening the school hours," asked the friend

"I have not given the matter much thought," said the politician

"From what I read in The Freeman," said the friend, "it seems that there is a likelihood of lengthening the present five hour day to six or even seven hours."

"I remember now reading something about it," said the politician, "but it seems queer to me"

"What seems queer," asked the friend

"The need of making the school hour longer"

"Why," asked the friend

"Well," said the politician thoughtfully "when you and I were young did we have to carry so many school books home to study nights as the children do now?"

"No it don't seem to me we did," confessed the friend

"Now when I meet a boy or a girl on the way to school," said the politician, "it looks as though they had taken home every book they study"

"It does look so," said the friend, "now that you speak of it"

"If I remember right," continued the politician, "when I went to school I would take one book home, and maybe it would be a spelling book or—"

"Speaking of spelling," interrupted the friend, "it seems to me they don't devote enough time to the study of that subject"

"How is that?" asked the politician

"There is a high school graduate," said the friend, "working in one of the stores and every time this graduate writes a letter and has to use the word 'there' I find it spelled that way all through the letter irrespective of how the word is used"

"That's nothing," said the politician, "I have yet to find a high school graduate who can spell correctly words in every day use"

"I guess you are right," said the friend

"The great trouble to my mind," continued the politician, "is the fact that they have to study a lot of things that are absolutely useless to them when they start out in life to make a living"

"Then you are not in favor of a longer school hour?" asked the friend

"I am," said the politician, "if it does not mean that the students will have to lug more school books home to study nights"

"What's your idea?" asked the friend

"Eliminating a lot of studies," said the politician "that don't amount to a row of pins"

"When you talk like that," said the friend, "you will get a lot of high brows up in arms"

"Fiddlesticks with the high brows," exclaimed the politician indignantly, "the successful men in the country today, or the vast majority of them never knew what high brow stuff was"

"You are right there I guess," said the friend

"Sure I am right," said the politician, "and nine times out of ten you will find that a real high brow is one who is too lazy to get out and work for a living"

### CHICHESTER

Chichester, Feb 25—Mrs William Roberts of Poughkeepsie has been visiting relatives here

L. G. Bennett made a trip to Kingston Saturday

Miss Grace DuBois of Kingston spent the week end with relatives in this place

Miss Polly Bruhn of Kingston spent several days as the guest of Miss Lillis Schwarzwelder here recently

Miss Clara Lane of Lanesville spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in this village

Miss Bessie Bennett spent a few days' vacation at her home here last week

R. H. Stokes is in Kingston installing some cabinet work in the store of L. S. Wingo. Mr. Stokes is in the employ of W. O. Schwarzwelder of this place

Charles Holley of Haines Falls and Charles Longyear of Jerrett are shipping carloads of lumber to this place weekly.

**McENELLY'S**  
FRIDAY, MARCH 2

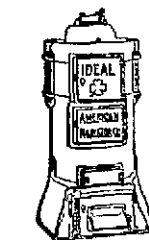


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WEDNESDAY, FEB. 28, 1917.

Sun rises, 6:37; sets, 5:51.  
Weather, cloudy. Humidity, 51 to 60.

## The Temperature.

The lowest point registered by The Freeman's thermometer last night was 30 degrees. The highest point reached up until noon today was 38 degrees.

## Weather Forecast.

Washington, Feb. 28.—Snow in the interior, snow or rain along the coast tonight and Thursday; fresh to strong northeast winds.

## WORK FOR FISH AND GAME.

## Ulster Protective Association Elects Officers.

The Ulster County Fish and Game Protective Association elected the following officers at its recent annual meeting: E. H. Bogart, president; Franklin Tobey, vice president; Ross Coles, treasurer; C. S. Preston, secretary.

Action was taken in favor of the federal migratory bird laws and extension of treaties with Canada on this subject and in favor of a state constabulary. Discussion was had upon the bill for licensing cats without action. Plans were made for securing a supply of pheasants' eggs for distribution this spring. Results of last year's settings were good and many pheasants are reported in various parts of the county. A half million fish were also placed in streams.

## PHOENICIA.

Phoenicia, Feb. 27.—The Laurel Wreath Society will hold a dime social at the home of Albert Warren on March 1. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

Frank Smith had the misfortune to lose one of his valuable horses last week.

The Epworth League will hold its monthly social business meeting on Friday, March 2.

Charles Van Steenburgh is not much improved at this writing.

We are very sorry to lose our old friend and neighbor, John Gossow, who is moving to Bushnellville on his father's old homestead, where he intends to make his future home of farming.

Alfred Evans, the champion trapper of this place, has caught ten fox so far this winter.

Anna Clancey is very much better at this writing.

Edward Hallenbeck and son, Louis, are busy drawing telephone poles off of James Van's woodlot.

The play, "Professor Pepp," which was held on Washington's Birthday, was a big success.

Part of the large barn on J. L. McGrath's farm is being torn down. Clinton Yerry is doing the work.

Next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock our district superintendent, Dr. Bell, will speak to us at the Methodist Church.

Clinton Yerry has purchased a new Ford car.

The Ladies' Aid Society will hold their monthly business meeting in the lecture room of the church on Thursday, March 1, at 3 p. m.

## BUSINESS NOTICES.

## PILLOWS.

All kinds at about half price, 65c and up. For a few days only, all pure white and mixed live goose at \$1.50. FOLDING MATTRESS WORKS, 359 Foxhall avenue. Tel. 1044-M.

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LATEST NEWS OF  
AQUEDUCT ARMY

New Hurley, Feb. 28.—Hello city folks. Just to remind you that the boys of Detachment No. 3, Company M, Tenth Regiment, are still living in the best of health. Just a word about the boys.

Sergeant is a good candy maker but the boys prefer he would use baking soda instead of cream of tartar.

The reason we can't mention anything about Corporal Markle is he eats so much that he can't take time to talk. We wonder where he developed that sweet tooth.

Wanted—Will somebody kindly donate a new uniform for Corporal Brophy for he is getting so fat that his present uniform will not fit him.

Happy Warner is still in the cow yard trying to throw the bull, which he thought he had until Entrott told him he was trying to throw a cow.

Private Ray Miller, New Hurley's famous musician, is trying to amuse the boys with a kazoo or a tin horn and also wears those loud ties to attract the girls.

Buck Woolsey is still looking for his daily letter. I wonder what for. You tell Buck.

Private Miller has a headache from using his brains trying to figure out Frank Schipp. Who said Frank is too crooked to be used for a ramrod. Hasbrouck, better known as "Spooks" will have to be transferred or they will have to move the cemetery.

The boys are still hoping for Private Britcliffe's early recovery from his recent operation.

Martin Oulton is still amusing the folks by singing "My Son Joshua." His next appearance will be at Gardiner, N. Y.

Perry is wishing his girl friend lived in Kingston. So do we, so he will stop asking the sergeant for forty-eight hours off.

Hurrah! Hurrah! Entrott's troubles are all over. The gates are wide open. He can now make his beat in 2:10.

Artie Fox has decided to let the boys give him a write-up. Sorry, but we have nothing on him at present. But we will if he don't stop talking in his sleep.

Private Ward Relyea is still telling the boys why Kingston high school lost the last game of basketball with Poughkeepsie. "My brother, Ed, didn't play." We wonder why he goes to Walden twice a week. Ask Ward, he will tell you.

All is well that ends well. With best regards to the people of Kingston. From Detachment No. 3, Company M, Tenth Regiment.

## SAINT JOSEN.

Saint Josen, Feb. 27.—Mrs. Mary C. Deputay entertained at her home on Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roosevelt and family, also Russell Lawrence and family.

Wilford Coddington and family are spending a few days with Mrs. Coddington's father at Kyserike.

Mr. and Mrs. Custer Riley and family called on Mrs. George Sahler at Accord on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hector Osterhout of Kerhonkson visited her mother of this place on Sunday.

William Smith is cutting logs on his wood lot.

The play was fine up at Rock Hill, given by the children, but was not very well attended, but a small sum of 10.75 was made.

Warren Lawrence drew some fine big stone for John Henderson on Friday.

Custer Riley is drawing some fine cord wood to Allgerville this week.

S. J. Roose is about to sell his farm in this place.

Lewis Miller has a fine brood of chickens, now getting about 100 eggs a day.

Warren Lawrence has a fine fox hound for sale. Apply Box No. 4.

Mrs. M. C. Deputay has 11 fine little pigs.

Mrs. Lewis Miller attended church at Accord on Sunday.

O. Coddington, who has been spending a few days with his grandmother in The Clove, has returned home.

We are all sorry to have Reuben Turner move away. He has taken a position in Poughkeepsie.

E. Miller attended the play at the school house on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Deputay entertained some company over Sunday.

A. D. Krom is quite ill at this writing.

Frank Coddington called on Russell Lawrence on Saturday afternoon.

Warren Lawrence sold one of his fine cows last week.

Henry Lawrence has been sawing wood through Kyserike the past week.

Ross Coddington called at the post office here on Saturday.

Russell Lawrence spent a few days out of own a short time ago.

Mrs. M. C. Deputay has a fine Jersey bull for sale.

Henry Lawrence has bought a fine new oil tank for gasoline.

NATURALIZATION  
CASES IN ULSTER

Total of 344 Applicants for Citizenship Since Outbreak of European War—Italians Number a Full Third of Those Seeking Papers.

The extent to which the European war has affected naturalization of aliens into American citizens is a matter that has received much attention recently.

Announcement in some cities have been to the effect that there has been a rush of applicants for citizenship during the past few weeks that outnumbers applications for entire years.

In order to determine the naturalization conditions in Ulster county, so far as concerns the filing of declaration of intention to become citizens, The Freeman has examined the naturalization records and compiled the results for the benefit of its readers, taking the figures for four years. The examination did not include any examination of the records of second papers or final disposition of the cases, but only the declarations, which must be filed before any other proceedings are taken.

The European conflict began about the first of August, 1914, so that the results for that year are separated into two groups, the first covering the period before the war began, and the second the period after the war began to the end of that year.

The total number of intentions to become citizens filed for each year was as follows:

|                     |    |
|---------------------|----|
| 1913                | 78 |
| 1914, to Aug. 1st   | 40 |
| 1914, from Aug. 1st | 44 |
| 1915                | 84 |
| 1916                | 75 |
| 1917, to Feb. 24th  | 23 |

These 344 aliens who have declared their intention to become citizens—and some of whom by reason of the lapse of the required time have fulfilled such declarations—are classified among the nations as follows:

|   |     |
|---|-----|
| Subjects of Italy   | 120 |
| Subjects of Russia  | 63  |
| Subjects of Austria-Hungary                                     | 47  |
| Austria, 31; Hungary, 16  |     |
| Subjects of Germany   | 44  |
| Subjects of Great Britain                                       | 36  |
| (England, 16; Ireland, 9; Scotland, 7; Canada, 3; Australia, 1) |     |
| Subjects of Turkey  | 7   |
| Subjects of Norway  | 6   |
| Subjects of Denmark   | 5   |
| Subjects of Spain   | 4   |
| Subjects of Holland   | 3   |
| Subjects of Sweden  | 3   |
| Subjects of France  | 1   |
| Subjects of Greece  | 1   |
| Subjects of Rumania   | 1   |
| Subjects of Switzerland   | 1   |
| Subjects of Portugal  | 1   |
| Subjects of Honduras  | 1   |

The war in Europe, as stated, began about the first of August, 1914, and the number of declarations filed during that year from the first of January until the first of August, and from the first of August until the first of the following January, may be interesting to Freeman readers. It is as follows:

| 1914.          |              |
|----------------|--------------|
| Before Aug. 1. | After Aug. 1 |
| Italy          | 12           |
| Russia         | 9            |
| Austria        | 5            |
| Hungary        | 1            |
| Germany        | 3            |
| Denmark        | 2            |
| England        | 2            |
| Holland        | 2            |
| Spain          | 2            |
| Norway         | 2            |
| Ireland        | 1            |
| France         | 1            |
| Scotland       | 1            |
| Greece         | 1            |
| Sweden         | 1            |
| Turkey         | 1            |

The total number of declarations of intentions among the nations by years for the period mentioned, including this year, was as follows:

| 1913            |    | 1914 |    | 1915 |    | 1916 |  | 1917 |  |
|-----------------|----|------|----|------|----|------|--|------|--|
| Italian         | 34 | 31   | 31 | 23   | 1  |      |  |      |  |
| Russian         | 13 | 15   | 18 | 16   | 1  |      |  |      |  |
| Austria-Hungary | 10 | 12   | 8  | 13   | 4  |      |  |      |  |
| British         | 11 | 5    | 8  | 7    | 5  |      |  |      |  |
| German          | 8  | 6    | 10 | 9    | 11 |      |  |      |  |
| Turkish         | —  | 1    | 3  | 2    | 1  |      |  |      |  |
| Norwegian       | 1  | 2    | 2  | 1    | —  |      |  |      |  |
| Danes           | —  | 4    | —  | 1    | —  |      |  |      |  |
| Spanish         | 11 | 3    | —  | —    | —  |      |  |      |  |
| Holland         | —  | 2    | —  | 1    | —  |      |  |      |  |
| Swede           | —  | 1    | 1  | 1    | —  |      |  |      |  |
| French          | —  | 1    | —  | —    | —  |      |  |      |  |
| Greek           | —  | 1    | —  | —    | —  |      |  |      |  |
| Rumanian        | —  | 1    | —  | —    | —  |      |  |      |  |
| Swiss           | —  | 1    | —  | —    | —  |      |  |      |  |
| Portuguese      | —  | 1    | —  | —    | —  |      |  |      |  |
| Hondurian       | —  | —    | 1  | —    | —  |      |  |      |  |

## LEIBHARDT.

Leibhardt, Feb. 28.—A number from this place are planning on attending the entertainment and Ladies' Aid social at Mettacahts Friday evening, March 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Quick of Rochester Center were guests at Mrs. Quick's former home Sunday afternoon and evening.

Alex. Brown and Otto Alexander spent Saturday in Ellenville.

James Kelder returned to his position at Middletown after spending a few days at home last week.

Mrs. Eugene Quick spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Alex. Brown.

Henry DeWitt and son, Jacob, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Hornbeck at Whitfield on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hinkley were guests at Mrs. Hinkley's former home on Sunday.

Mrs. Jada Quick entertained her son, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Quick, and little daughter of Tongue Sunday.

Peter Lattermer and his brother, Jason, moved their household furniture in the tenement house recently vacated by Wilbur Brown, while their stepfather, Ephraim Brown, was away from home one day last week.

The pupils of the day school are selling the American flag pins to raise money toward buying a new flag for their school.

Mrs. Able Kelder and children of Rosendale enjoyed a few days' visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter DeWitt, last week.

Mrs. Florence Hornbeck spent Sunday night with her sister, Mrs. Joseph Miller at his late home at Mettacahts last Friday afternoon.

Vandyke Churchill of Mombaccus has been drawing a nice quantity of logs at Lawrence's mill and is having lumber sawed.

Mrs. Eva Warren and two children, who have been spending several weeks at the home of Mrs. Ennist, at Currys Corners, have returned to their home at Krumville. Mrs. Warren has been assisting Mrs. Ennist, who has been ill, with her household work.

Mrs. Jane Quick and son, Chester, have returned to the home of Elijah Quick and will move about the middle of March back to the old home.

Friends and relatives in this place were saddened to hear of the death of Mrs. John H. Brooks, who died at her home in Sundown last week, and the funeral services were held at that place Sunday, February 25. Aunt Emily, as she was called by nearly every one in this place, had been in failing health for the past several years, and she had a number of friends in this place who will miss her, as when health permitted she was in company with her husband would make their annual visit to the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Agnes Brown, and other relatives. She always had a kind word and a pleasant smile for every one she met. She is survived by her husband and three sons and two daughters, besides a large circle of friends who extend their sympathy to the bereaved ones in this, their sad hour of bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. James Quick and grandson, James Kelder, Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Krom and Mr. and Mrs.

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day night with her sister, Mrs. Joseph Hinkley.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Smith and children spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Krom.

Henry S. DeWitt, who has been laid up with a bad abscess on his right hand, is getting better, but not able to resume his work at shaving hoops. Henry says he will keep them for bean poles next summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Gullickson are entertaining company from the city.

Mrs. Amelia Markle visited at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Delia Burger, at Rochester Center Saturday.

Mrs. Pernie Hornbeck and two daughters, Miss Annie and Mildred, were guests of Mrs. Annie Hornbeck Sunday.

Those from this place who attended the party at Miss Carrie Wynkoop's Saturday evening reported a fine time.

We hear a Whitfield lady had the misfortune to fall and break about three dozen eggs she was gathering to send to market. The next report we heard they had scrambled eggs for supper that night.

Harry Brown and Arthur Quick attended the house party at Zadoc Barringer's at Samsonville Heights Saturday evening. Both enjoyed a jolly good time.

Mr. and Mrs. William Oakley of Acorn Hill were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Brown.

Owing to the mail not coming on Washington's birthday the Leibhardt news items did not appear in Friday's Freeman. Was delayed one day too late.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wells spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Eckert.

A large number from this place attended the fruit growers' exhibit at Poughkeepsie last week.

Edward Terpening and daughter of Kingston spent Thursday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Terpening.

John Van Oostenbrugge of New York city spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Van Oostenbrugge.

H. V. Story and daughter have returned home, after spending a week with relatives in New York city.

Mrs. H. W. Osborn spent a few days last week with her mother, Mrs. Kellerman of South Rondout.

Miss Julia Churchill is spending two weeks with relatives at Napanoch and Kerhonkson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Herring and son Roy of Union Center spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Herring.

T. U. will hold a Willard memorial meeting at the home of Mrs. Lemuel Freer at Union Center on Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 28, at 2:30. At the close of the program refreshments will be served and a social hour enjoyed. All the ladies are invited to attend. An offering will be taken.

A large crowd attended the Washington special held at the home of Mrs. George Eckert last Wednesday evening. The house was prettily decorated with flags. The favors given were hatchets and the handle took the hatchet to supper which caused much merriment. The net proceeds were twelve dollars.

Mr. and Mrs. family of Port Ewen has moved in L. Herring's farm house.



MARCH 2d-3d FAST DAYS

|                |                                |                            |     |
|----------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|-----|
| MARKET         | 10c                            | SCROD                      | 7c  |
| CODFISH, lb.   |                                | HADDOCK, lb.               |     |
| Butters.....   | 12 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> | Trout, Pike, Whitefish,    |     |
| Weeks.....     | lb.                            | Salmon Steaks,             |     |
| File Steaks... |                                | Halibut, Pollock, Mackerel |     |
| Ciscoes.....   |                                | Fresh White                | 18c |
| Pickrel.....   |                                | COD Steaks, lb...          |     |

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| CLAMS  | SHAD    |
| MEDIUM | Premier |
| LARGE  | Can 15c |
| OPENED |         |

**PORK CHOPS** Cut from fresh little loins, no rind, 18c  
Same kind sold at 26c last week.

**Hamburg Steak** Big value Best Beef, lb... 16c  
**SIRLOIN STEAK, lb.** 24c

Worth \$3.25 bushel wholesale.  
**White Potatoes, 1/2 peck - - 39c**

Fresh Eggs sold at 65c dozen in January.  
**FRESH EGGS, doz. - - 45c**

**BEST CREAMERY BUTTER, 2 lbs... 86c**  
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For Cooking or Table Use.

**Fresh Vegetables** Celery, Kale, Mushrooms, Radishes, Bunch Onions, Lettuce, New Cabbage

**New Cheese** White whole milk special, worth 30c, pound 25c

**CEYLON TEA** 4 grades, pound packages, 25c  
60c lb. 45c lb. 35c lb.

**Tomatoes, fancy, tin - 15c**  
**June Peas, tin - 13c**  
**Sweet Corn, tin - 14c**  
**SPECIAL Dry Lima Beans, lb. 10c**

BREAD DEARER HERE THAN IN BELGIUM

By Telegram to The Freeman.  
Albany, Feb. 28.—That the price of bread in Belgium is cheaper than in the state of New York was the statement made by Herbert C. Hoover, head of the Belgium Relief Commission in an address before the joint legislature today. He announced that in Belgium bread sold for four cents a pound as against six cents here, notwithstanding the fact that the wheat came from Chicago.

"The same ratio of prices prevail in all prime food commodities," said Mr. Hoover. "Two hundred and twenty million loaves of bread are used a month in Belgium, five million tons of condensed milk and two million tons of foodstuffs. There is no starvation there."

Mr. Hoover said that the French people took care of their own in Belgium, but that the funds were administered by Americans in whom the French had the most implicit trust. Mr. Hoover pointed out that Belgium was between two millstones and that the work of the American Red Cross was rendered extremely difficult and politically exact because of this. He outlined the system of supplying food and the obtaining of funds for its purchase, declaring that great generosity had been exhibited by those contributing. He added that there were 3,500,000 people in Belgium today and that the cost of feeding them amounted to \$10,000,000 a month.

Governor Whitman was present in the assembly chamber during the address of Mr. Hoover. That \$150,000,000 had been spent in America, resulting in a profit of \$30,000,000 to this country, was another point brought out by Mr. Hoover.

CARUSO IN JAIL FOR CARRYING GUN

Caruso, not the famous tenor, but Agostino Caruso of the town of Saugerties, is in the county jail having been committed by Justice Chidester of Saugerties to wait the action of the grand jury. Caruso was committed for violating section 1897 of the penal law, that being the section concerning the carrying of concealed weapons. It is alleged that Caruso was carrying a revolver and during an argument, to make his story forceful, pointed the gun at Anthony Charante and as a result was arrested and turned over to Sheriff Shultis for safe keeping.

AUTOMOBILE NOTES.

Walden village is to be urged to purchase a Ford for the use of the official dogcatcher whose territory extends some distance into the country.

Every garage and accessory store in Newburgh is busily engaged in working for the Auto Show at the armory in that city on March 8, 9 and 10. Speaker Thaddeus C. Sweet of the assembly and other men prominent in public life will open the show which, the Newburgh men say, will be one of the biggest auto advertising features in the Hudson Valley this season. Among those present will be Highway Commissioner Duffey, Senator James A. Emerson of Warrenburg, Senator Charles W. Walton of Kingston, Senator Ross Graves of Buffalo, Senator John D. Stivers of Middletown, Assemblyman Frederick A. Wells of Brooklyn, Assemblyman Erastus Corning Davis of Fond du Lac, Assemblyman Franklin W. Judson of Gates, and Assemblyman Frank Gardner of Poughkeepsie.

Highland Has Dog-Poisoner.

The village of Highland is much aroused over the depredations committed recently by a dog-poisoner. A large reward is being offered for information leading to the conviction of the guilty person or persons. Dogs belonging to A. W. Lent, Russell Wyckoff, Mrs. Brundage and the great Dane owned by Leo France have received a dose of the poison, and all except the great Dane succumbed. It was only through the prompt attendance of Dr. Faust, of Poughkeepsie, that the France dog was saved.

The Polioepidemic Clinic.

The number of patients examined at the clinic held at the court house Tuesday under direction of the state department of health for victims of the infantile paralysis epidemic of last summer totalled twenty-eight. All the examinations were made by Drs. Lovett, Whitman and Hodgson, who went to Poughkeepsie late in the afternoon and held a clinic there today for the benefit of the Dutchess county patients.

At Church of Comfort.

Preparatory services for the communion service next Sunday will be held Thursday evening at the Reformed Church of the Comfort. Members of the church and those desiring to unite are requested to be present. The Rev. W. F. Stowe, pastor of the church, will preach a short sermon and the first part of the form for the sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be read. Services commence at 7:30 o'clock.

Chautauqua Opens April 18.

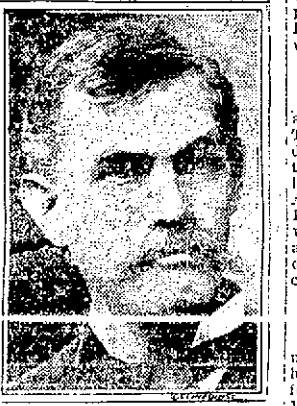
Word has been received from the managers of the Chautauqua circuit who supply Kingston with Chautauqua entertainments that the Kingston Chautauqua will open for one week on Wednesday, April 18. A public meeting of the local guarantors will be held on March 14th, at which time Mrs. Hershey, the superintendent of arrangements, will be present to outline the program, and at which time also the local officers will be elected.

Missing Lark Found.

An absent-minded man, who two months ago found a short gold-plated key chain on Railroad avenue, with a key alone and a wolf's head at the other, left the article at this office to await the claimant.

H. C. of L. Hits S. S. Sale.

The food sale announced by the "Workers" Sunday school class has been indefinitely postponed on account of the high prices of sugar and other articles of food.—Walden Citizen-Herald.



Senator John Sharp Williams.

Washington, Feb. 28.—Senator John Sharp Williams of Mississippi thinks that the international situation in which the United States finds itself is like unto that of a man who has been kicked three times, whose attacker has advertised that he is about to kick him a fourth time, and who then announces that he will hold no further conversation with the belligerent one. At least, Senator Williams so expressed himself on the floor of the senate.

Senator Williams remarked that Germany is impressed with the idea that there is a division of sentiment in the United States. Senator Borah wanted to know if there was anything of which Senator Williams was cognizant which would lead Germany to such a belief, to which the senator from Mississippi replied, "Why, yes, a thousand things." From Bryan down to Stephens, hates upon this floor, adorns upon the floor of the other house, attacking the president for what he has done, which was the least that he could do to sever diplomatic relations. It is as if the senator from Idaho had kicked me once and then had kicked me again and then had kicked me for the third time and advertised to me publicly in a letter that he was going to kick me a fourth time, and as if I had then said, "Well, I will quit speaking to you."

Lecture For P. T. Associations.

An unusually interesting historical lecture will be given at the High School on the evening of Friday, March 9th, under the patronage of all of the Parent Teacher Associations of the schools of Kingston. The lecturer will be Arthur P. Abbott, who will give an educational travelogue on "The First American." The subject of the lecture is to present the American Indian race in its purity. He will also show the connection between the ancient civilization of the race and the Mexican troubles. An admission of twenty-five cents for adults and fifteen for children, will be charged to defray expenses, and to augment the fund of the association with which it may carry on its work.

Home From "The Front."

Privates McCullough, Krause, Carter and Shultis were home today from "the front." They arrived in town on Tuesday evening in charge of Sergeant Beatty, who also visited his home. They report everything fine along the aqueduct and in the camp at Ireland Corners.

Annual Church Meeting.

The annual business meeting and election of officers of the Wurst Street Baptist Church will be held Thursday evening in the chapel. Members of the congregation are urged to be present.

THIS IS THE LAST WEEK

Saturday Is the Last Day of H. Marblestone's Winter Clearing Sale Of Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing

Not again this year will you be able to buy clothing at such prices. Don't put off. Be here tomorrow and if not tomorrow, Wednesday or Thursday, for after Saturday this sale will be a closed book.

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| \$28 Kuppenheimer Suits and Overcoats. Clearance Sale Price .....   | 22.40   |
| \$30 Kuppenheimer Suits and Overcoats. Clearing Sale Price .....    | 24.00   |

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| \$10.00 United Clothes, Suits and Overcoats. Sale Price ..... | \$8.00 |
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| \$13.85 United Clothes, Suits and Overcoats. Sale Price ..... | 11.08  |
| \$15.00 United Clothes, Suits and Overcoats. Sale Price ..... | 12.00  |
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| \$18.00 United Clothes, Suits and Overcoats. Sale Price ..... | 14.40  |

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BLOOMINGTON.

Bloomington, Feb. 28.—The Lord's Supper will be observed in the Bloomingdale Reformed Church on Sunday, March 4. Services at 2 p. m. The Rev. Mr. Palmhus of Port Ewen will be with us.

The Christian Endeavor topic for Sunday evening is "Service." Jas. I. ... (Consecration meeting.) Leader will be Miss Myrtle Osborn.

Miss Margaret Douglass, who underwent a serious operation at the Benedictine Sanitarium the past week, is doing as well as can be expected.

Mr. Zuehl and son of Brooklyn, returned on Saturday to their home in the city, after spending a few days here with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. Zuehl.

The Christian Endeavor held their executive meeting on Monday evening of the past week for transacting business.

Raymond L. Schoonmaker and Miss Gladys Mowers and Andrew Knapp and Miss Isabel Schoonmaker of Marlborough were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George L. LeFever.

We are glad to have Miss Alice Hess and her mother, Mrs. Hess, back again with us, as they have been away for the winter, but returned one day of the past week to their home.

Rumor says we are to have a number of weddings near Whiteport in the near future.

Fred Bordenstein, who has been home for the winter, starts Thursday for Coxsack, where he has employment on the state road.

Miss Jennie Gue and sister Miss Flanche of Kingston spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gue of Creek Locks.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. LeFever visited Kingston on Tuesday afternoon.

Dr. C. V. Hasbrouck of Rosendale and Dr. Stern of Rondout were called to this place one day of the past week on business.



NEW FACES THAT WILL APPEAR IN SIXTY-FIFTH CONGRESS.

Three national figures who will take their places in the senate of the sixty-fifth congress for the first time. The country will await with great deal of interest to learn how these men will commit themselves on the grave international issues facing the government. Sixteen new senators altogether will take their seats when the sixty-fifth congress is convened, but of the sixteen these are the most prominent:

Philander C. Knox formerly was a secretary of state and has been nationally prominent in politics for years. He will represent Pennsylvania.

Hiram Johnson is a Progressive Republican and will represent California, of which he was governor up to the time of his election to the senate.

Frank B. Kellogg is known as a "trust buster," having handled much of the Taft and Roosevelt administration "trust busting" prosecutions as special counsel for the department of justice. He will represent Minnesota.

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Not a sermon, not a propaganda picture, but a startling drama of the weak and the strong, who battle against "The Enemy"—a losing fight for all who have not the strength to jump, "I won't." Also HUGHEY MACK, 365 lbs of Joy, in "JUMPS and JEALOUSY."  
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LASKY-PARAMOUNT Presents MAE MURRAY, in  
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**Bathrooms and Bathing.**  
In many European countries "the best people" if you know what that means—never bathe in water.  
Spanish matrons have expressed much surprise at my complaints about the absence of bathing facilities in the Madrid hotels. One lady, wife of a distinguished member of the cortes, told me she "had herself rubbed down in oil once a week, but never had a drop of tub of water and never would."  
My memory of London hotels goes back to 1875, when there was not a single bathtub in any hotel in that city. A bath pan and bucket of warm water was the only "tub," and you were lucky to get that.  
And in that same period in New York City the Metropolitan and St. Nicholas hotels, supposed to be models of excellence, were totally wanting in bathtubs.  
Admittedly, it is as difficult to imagine life without motorcars as without bathtubs, but the former are less than a twenty-year-old necessity, while the bath was an institution long before the times of the Roman emperors.—Julius Chambers in Brooklyn Eagle.

**Our Coal Resources.**  
Are our coal mines being exhausted by their vast production? Not at a rate which need worry us or cause fears that the next generation will freeze to death. Nearly ten years ago a competent engineer analyzed the figures of soft coal production and reserve and concluded that if our output continued to increase according to the growth shown up to that time it would reach a stable maximum of 2,300,000,000 tons per year about the year 2150 and that 700 years more of production at that rate would exhaust the known coal measures of the United States!  
Since he wrote production has advanced at a slower rate than he anticipated and important new deposits have come to light. There should be no waste of our mineral fuel, but neither is there any occasion for alarm. Anthraxite, of course, is another matter. But even of that there is enough to last for at least a century.—Chicago Journal.

**A Wonderful Aboriginal City.**  
Near Laguna, N. M., may be seen Accon, the "sky city," claimed to be the most wonderful aboriginal city in the world. It stands on an isolated rock embowed 300 feet in height. The city embraces three rows of houses over a thousand feet in length, rising up in terraces four and five stories. One is amazed when he steps to consider that the material for these buildings were transported long distances and up the cliffs upon the heads and backs of these human burden bearers. Their graves, and consumed forty years in building by reason of the necessity of bringing earth from the plain below, and their church must have cost the labor of many generations, for its walls are sixty feet high and ten feet thick, and it has thunders forty feet long and fourteen inches square.—Exchange.

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held at the office of the company at  
Port Jervis, in the town of Exopus, county  
of Ulster, and State of New York, on the  
first day of March, 1917, at two o'clock p.  
m. for the purpose of electing five (5) di-  
rectors for the ensuing year, and two (2)  
auditors for the year ending December 31, 1916,  
and for the transaction of such other busi-  
ness as may come before said meeting.  
Exopus, New York, February 20, 1917.  
A. B. HEIN,  
Secretary.**She Was Hygienic.**A woman who has a three-year-old  
daughter thought she would prevent  
the child from touching plants in new  
window boxes by telling her not to  
go near the plants, for there might be  
bugs in the earth that would bite. She  
left the child alone a short while and  
when she came back found the earth  
thrown right and left. And before  
she could call the child to task, the  
little one looked at her proudly and  
said, "I didn't get bitten, mother; I  
didn't put my hands in the dirt—I  
used a spoon."—Worcester Evening  
Post.**NOTICE TO CREDITORS.**In pursuance  
of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, Sur-  
rogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby giv-  
ing to all persons having  
claims against the estate of  
the city of Kingston, county of Ulster,  
deceased, to present the same with  
proper vouchers in support thereof, to the  
undersigned, at the office of said Sur-  
rogate, 352 Pine street, Kingston, N. Y.,  
on or before the first day of May, 1917.  
THOMAS D. R. EMBREE,  
As Executor, etc. of DEWITT  
Van Rensselaer, deceased.  
T. B. Van Wageningen, Attorney, King-**NOTICE TO CREDITORS.**In pursuance  
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MERRITT B. KINGSLEY,  
Administrator of the estate of said  
deceased.  
Ward J. Capelin, Attorney, Rome, N. Y.**GRAPHIC ACCOUNT  
OF WAR IN TURKEY**Fully six hundred people were in  
attendance at the first of the Post  
Jubilee Lecture Course lectures,  
given in the First Dutch Reformed  
Church Tuesday evening. The Rev.  
Arthur S. Cole, pastor of the Albany  
Avenue Baptist Church, introduced  
the speaker, Dr. Clarence D. Ussher,  
who spoke thrillingly of "War in  
Turkey," and incidentally disclosed  
some interesting facts relative to  
European history of the past three  
years. Dr. Ussher first told of the  
unlabeled drama, which included  
representatives of all denomina-  
tions, working together in such unity  
that Christianity as a whole was pre-  
sented to the natives. He was the  
only medical missionary. The set-  
tlement of the Moroccan dispute, dur-  
ing Roosevelt's administration put  
an end to a promised massacre at  
that time, and the country settled  
down to the growing belief in-  
cited by official Germany, that the  
Germans were like the Mohammed-  
dians. So ardently was this idea im-  
planted in the Turkish mind, that in  
April of 1914 as the war actually  
began in August, the Turkish  
soldiers began to mobilize for the  
support of the "European war soon  
to begin."In 1913 Dr. Ussher crossed the  
entire width of Turkey to Jerusalem,  
and on approaching that city first  
noted the tower of the German Hos-  
pital. Later being shown through  
the remarkable building with its elab-  
orate rooms, in the chief of which  
was the portrait of the Kaiser, he  
asked if all of the elaborate and re-  
markable detail of modern con-  
venience was just for the accommo-  
dation of pilgrims, especially as the  
the place had its sweeping search  
light, its guns, etc. He was told to  
look down from the tower and there,  
to his amazement saw a double row  
of wire entanglements. His re-  
peated inquiries brought out the  
answer that the place would be used  
as the palace of the German govern-  
or of Palestine. It had been built  
and paid for by the Kaiser, and  
when he asked what it was finally  
to be used for, he was reluctantly  
told that from there the Kaiser  
would rule his world kingdom. This  
was one year before the war, and he  
laughed at the story as one of the  
absurd yarns that even intelligent  
people invent.Dr. Ussher then most vividly de-  
scribed the mobilization of the Tur-  
kish army, of the openly expressed  
intention to do away with the entire  
non-Muslim population, foreign as  
well as native, and of the successful  
efforts to carry out the threat in so  
many cases. In spite of the extra-  
territorial rights of the mission un-  
der the American flag, and prote-  
ction they were given by Ottoman  
officers, and were finally saved by the  
timely intervention of the Russian  
consul. The governor general of-  
fered his official apology, thus sav-  
ing not only this mission, but many  
others from the Turkish invasion.  
While the audience was more than  
once horrified by what they were told  
of the Turkish situation, the mas-  
sacres, especially in relation to the  
Armenians of the highest class,  
those who were graduates of Ameri-  
can Colleges, were professional men,  
etc., they sat spell bound under the  
thrilling accounts of personal expe-  
riences, especially during the siege of  
Darmia. In spite of guns and bombs,  
only one little Armenian girl of all  
the refugees and regular inhabitants  
of the mission was injured during  
the siege, it seeming indeed that the  
merciful hand of God protected  
them. Finally the Russian soldiers  
arrived in time to save the city and  
the Armenian quarters, but the Cos-  
sacks were found to be almost as  
bad as the Turks, which promises  
none too well if Russian occupation  
occurs. The lecture was long but  
it was so thrilling that every word  
was listened to with rapid attention.  
The second lecture of the course  
will take place on the evening of  
March 21st at the Fair Street Re-  
formed Church, the lecturer being  
the Rev. Elmer White of Oshkosh,  
in spite of the error in printing on  
the tickets and the error in the an-  
nouncement last evening, Mr. White  
is not and has not been at any time  
a "Post" chaplain. He was for three  
years the "Post" Chaplain of the  
Port of New York, in many ways the  
greatest and most remarkable port  
in the world, and he will speak on  
"A Port Chaplain's Experiences with  
the Stranger from Many Lands."**Church of the Holy Spirit.**Lenten services in the Church of  
the Holy Spirit, Wurts street, the  
Rev. John James Bott, rector, will be  
held as follows:This evening at 7:30, prayer  
and sermon by the Ven. Rev. W. H. Pott,  
D. D., archdeacon of the diocese of  
New York. Also special music.Friday morning prayer and Litany  
at 10 o'clock.Meeting of the vestry Thursday  
evening at 8 o'clock in rectory.Men's Club on Thursday evening  
at 8 o'clock in guild rooms, rectory.

Choir rehearsal Saturday at 1 p. m.

**Servant's Rec.**The Woman's Missionary Society  
of the Roundout Presbyterian Church  
will hold the second of their series of  
sewing bees in the chapel on Thurs-  
day afternoon, March 1, beginning at  
2:30 o'clock. A supper will be  
served by an efficient committee un-  
der the direction of Mrs. James  
Purdy and Miss Sara Huber, for  
which the nominal charge of ten  
cents will be made. All the ladies  
of the congregation are cordially in-  
vited.**WHO'LL GUARANTEE  
TABERNACLE FUND?**The committee having charge of  
the disposition of the Delaware Ave-  
nue Tabernacle held a meeting  
Tuesday evening at the Y. M. C. A.,  
at which every member was present.  
A plan was formulated by which  
this committee, consisting of F. R.  
Powley, A. S. Hammond, S. E. Eliza-  
my, S. M. Watts, C. E. Powell,  
Dwight McEntee, P. H. Carey and  
Harry Watts agreed to obligate  
themselves to an amount necessary  
to pay the balance of the indebted-  
ness against the tabernacle building  
and to care for and maintain the  
building for one year, provided  
enough people can be secured to  
guarantee the payment for any debts  
that may exist at the end of the year.  
The committee adjourned for one  
week in order to secure the nec-  
essary underwriters to back this  
committee which is willing to as-  
sume this liability.**PORT EVEN.**Port Even, Feb. 28.—The Rev.  
F. W. Moot, pastor of the Congrega-  
tional Church of Ponckhockie,  
preached a very powerful and deep-  
rooted sermon Tuesday evening at  
the evangelistic service in the Re-  
formed Church from these words.  
"He that believeth and is baptized  
shall be saved, but he that disbel-  
leth shall be condemned." Mark 16:16. Mr. Moot is a won-  
derful expounder of the gospel  
truth and dwelled largely on the  
theme of his text, "The Penalty of  
Doing Nothing," and made it very  
plain to his attentive hearers what  
an idle life means to a church com-  
munity and a home, and spoke in  
such a feeling manner that brought  
tears to many eyes and made an im-  
pression of religious living that  
ought to be coveted by all believers  
of the gospel. The Rev. Mr. Moot  
will preach this evening. Mrs. John  
Osterhout of Ponckhockie will ac-  
company him and assist in the ser-  
vice by singing. All members of the  
organizations mentioned will be  
present in the Sunday school room  
at 7:30 sharp to march in the church  
in a body. A large attendance is ex-  
pected and those who stay at home  
will miss a rare treat and very deep  
thoughts.Mrs. William Fox of Kingston was  
the guest of her sister, Mrs. Char-  
lotte Hotelling, on Broadway, Tues-  
day.The W. C. T. U. will hold a  
Frances Willard Memorial Social at  
the home of Mrs. Charles Niece Fri-  
day evening, March 9.Mrs. Buley and family, who have  
been living in the house of Egbert  
Elkworth on Salem street, moved to  
Wilbur Tuesday.Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coutant and  
son, James, have moved from South  
Broadway to the farm house of  
Leslie Herring in Ulster Park.The regular monthly meeting of  
the Ladies Aid Society of the Meth-  
odist Church will be held in the  
chapel Thursday afternoon at 5  
o'clock. A large attendance is  
desired.A meeting of the town board was  
held at the office of the town clerk,  
George Fairbrother, on Green  
street.Frederick Spinaewebber, who has  
spent a few days at his home on  
Green street, returned to New York  
city Tuesday.Mrs. Clarence Cole of Ulster Park  
is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Mary  
A. Beckwith, on Green street.**By La Racontense.**An unusual and stunning evening  
gown developed in navy blue and  
gold metal brocade, this forming de-  
tached panels on both sides. A  
snug basque and a short round  
length skirt veiled with rich gold  
metal net top lace. A touch of fur  
on the bottom edge adds an inter-  
esting detail. Distinctly attractive  
is the long, straight line from shoul-  
der to hem, this being one of the  
season's most conspicuous features.  
**Red Cross Class Friday.**  
All persons who are in any way  
interested in the "First Aid" Red**Columbia Shirts**  
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40 in. width, all the good selling colors, white, black,  
flesh, pink, rose.**Chiffon Cloth, \$1.00 yd.**  
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Dr. Le Tanneur contributes to  
the Paris Medical some practical  
points in the use of mineral oil in  
constipation. The oil, he says, is in  
no way digested or even modified by  
the juices of the stomach and in-  
testines. It acts as a lubricant and  
nothing else, though it tends to heal  
abrasions of the intestinal wall  
caused by rough particles of food.  
The New York Medical Journal  
says mineral oil should be taken  
either before breakfast or after din-  
ner, two tablespoonfuls before a dose.  
Its use should be continued every  
day for at least a fortnight, when  
the bowels will continue to work  
naturally without it, for the mineral  
oil is in no sense a cathartic, but it  
will cure constipation.—Kingston  
Daily Freeman, February 11, 1917.**Pint Bottles, 50 Cents; Half Pints, 30 Cents****Use Your Phone--261****CHAS. L. McBRIDE**  
634 Broadway Kingston, N. Y.Cross work are asked to meet at the  
Y. M. C. A. on Friday afternoon of  
this week at 3 o'clock. Receiving  
this instruction in "First Aid to the  
Injured" does not obligate any one to  
actual hospital service in case of war,  
but does give valuable information  
which may be of use in times of  
peace as well as war, and will pre-  
pare those receiving their certificate  
at the end of the course, to assist in  
certain lines of nursing work in case  
of war if they so desire. The meet-  
ing on Friday will be in charge of  
Mrs. Fessenden, Red Cross secretary,  
and Miss Lampman of Port Jervis,  
registered Red Cross nurse. At this  
time the class will be organized—it  
must have a president, secretary and  
treasurer—dues of 50 cents collect-  
ed and names, addresses and dues  
forwarded to Washington for the  
formal founding of the class. There  
will be no instruction given on Fri-  
day, but these plans will be complet-  
ed, and the time and place of meet-  
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it is important that all who desire  
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Mrs. Marlow at this place.Mrs. Norman Bedford is visiting  
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day to visit her aunt, Sarah.**New York Produce Market.**  
Wheat—Firm. May, Chicago,  
130 1/2 @ 130 1/2; July, Chicago,  
134 1/2 @ 134 1/2; Sept., Chicago,  
142 1/2 @ 142 1/2; spot No. 2 red  
winter, 135 c. f. New York to ar-  
rive, 201 f. c. b. to arrive.  
Corn—Firm. No. 2 yellow new,  
\$1.15 1/2; No. 3 yellow new, \$1.14 1/2.  
Oats—Steady. Fancy white, 77  
@ 79c; ordinary clipped, 75 @ 77c;  
standard, 77c; No. 3 white, 77c; No.  
4 white, 76 1/2c.  
Rye—Quiet. No. 2 western, \$1.57;  
c. f. f. New York state, 1.60 c. o. b.  
New York.  
Barley—Quiet. Malt, nominal;  
c. f. f. Buffalo; feeding, \$1.17 c. f. f.  
Buffalo.  
Hay—Steady. No. 1, \$1.05 @  
\$1.10; No. 2, 70 @ 75c; clover  
mixed, 55 @ 55c.  
Straw—Steady. No. 1 straight  
rye, 60 @ 70c.  
Flour—Dull. Spring patents,  
\$8.65 @ \$8.50; straight, \$8.30 @  
\$8.55; clear, \$7.60 @ \$7.55; winter  
patents, \$8.35 @ \$8.60; straight,  
\$8.00 @ \$8.25; clear, \$7.65 @  
\$7.90.  
Potatoes—Dull. White, nearby,  
\$8 @ \$10; Bermudas, \$7.50 @  
\$11.50; southern, \$2.50 @ \$7.50;  
Jersey sweets, \$1.00 @ \$2.25 per  
basket.  
Eggs—Poultry—Dull. Broilers  
capons and chickens, 15 @ 35c;  
fowls, 17 1/2 @ 24c; turkeys, 20 @  
31c; ducks, 18 @ 24c; geese, 16  
@ 21c.  
Live Poultry—Unsettled. Chick-  
ens, 19 @ 20c; fowls, 18 @ 19c;  
roosters, 15 1/2c.  
Butter—Continues to decline.  
Held and fresh. Creamery extra,  
38 @ 40 1/2c; creamery firsts, 37 @  
39 1/2c; higher scoring, 35 1/2 @ 42c;  
state dairy, tubs, 30 @ 40c; process  
extra, 23 1/2 @ 34c; imitation firsts,  
31 1/2 @ 32c.  
Eggs—Faster. Nearby white,  
fancy, 29 @ 40c; nearby brown,  
fancy, 36 @ 37c; extras, 35 1/2 @  
36c; firsts, 34 @ 34 1/2c.  
Milk—The nominal wholesale  
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Old Mr. H. C. of L. not Content with Boosting Price of Lager Beer, takes a Whack out of Soft Drinks. Some one is always trying to take the joy out of living this year, and old Mr. H. C. of L. has planned to get in another crack the first of March when he will boost the wholesale price of soft drinks to the trade. Not so many days ago he boosted the wholesale price of lager beer. Whether the new wholesale prices to go into effect on Thursday will increase the retail price is not known as yet, and probably won't be known until little Mr. Cosmopolitan comes around to the store to purchase some stuff. All of the local wholesale soft drink dealers notified the retail dealers that the increase in price is "absolutely necessary on account of the high price of sugar and all other ingredients used in manufacture of soda water." It might be added, however, that the increase in the wholesale price is just a slight advance. A charge of two cents will be made for each soda water bottle not returned.



EDWIN DUFFEY, COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS IN NEW YORK. (Edwin Duffey.)

Edwin Duffey, state commissioner of highways in New York, is considered one of the ablest authorities on road building in the country. In speaking of federal aid for state roads, he said:

"With the release of the first appropriation of the \$75,000,000 appropriation approved by the United States government for aid to the states in road building, New York state has held out to it an offer of approximately \$1,000,000. If the state takes advantage of this sum and appropriates a like amount, the resultant \$8,000,000 will be a fund additional to the \$100,000,000 voted by the people of this state for the improvement of its roads."

"The situation is of more than a state-wide importance, as the fund thus established would aid materially in supplying money to improve roads leading out of New York. As an example, Chautauque county, large in area, and containing heavy mileage on its county and state highway systems, faces a deficit for both of these groups of roads from the bond issue money. With the allotment to New York of this supplemental \$8,000,000, equivalent to approximately 550 miles of new construction, money enough would be assured to meet the great Buffalo western connection on the shore of Lake Erie. As it is now, great gaps of this trunk line would remain unimproved after the county had expended its bond issue money."

### PLUTARCH.

Plutarch, Feb. 28.—There will not be any preaching next Sunday, but Sunday school will be at the usual time.

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet at the church on Wednesday afternoon, March 7. All members are requested to be present as business of importance is to come before this meeting. All ladies interested in church work are invited to come and join this society.

Miss Florence Bennett daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Bennett, who have a summer home here, and John Swartz, were married at the bride's home in Hempstead, L. I. on Washington's birthday. Her many friends extend congratulations.

William Van Vleet has opened a grocery store at his home here. Give him a call. Prices to suit all.

Lewis Light has gone to Tilton where he is working on a road.

Mrs. H. McCormick spent the week end with her son and wife in Poughkeepsie.

Frank Schimpf has sold his farm to some Italians.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McKnight entertained some out of town friends over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McCormick of 26 Grand street, Poughkeepsie, are rejoicing over the arrival of a young daughter. Mother and child are doing well.

Mrs. Henry Selderbeck is entertaining her brother from New Jersey. The members of the Ladies' Aid Society and Girls' Club will give an entertainment in the church on Tuesday evening, March 6, consisting of three farces, reading, solos and recitations. The following are the casts taking part: Piano Vols.—Silver Slouch Belles; Mrs. Allan Tobias, Junice Medley of Patriotic Airs, by several ladies. Reading—"The Busybody," Mrs. Frank McKnight.

A Farce—"This is so Sudden"

Gertrude, aged twenty-five, Lois Relea, Florence aged twenty, Marion McKnight, Marie, aged twenty-two, Anna Dirk, Helen, a woman of the world, Mrs. Frank McKnight, Margaret, a society girl, Maybelle Carroll, Solo—"Sunshine and Smiles," Mrs. Allan Tobias; Recitation. A Farce—"Our Aunt From California," Felicia Needy, Mrs. Allan Tobias; Rosalie Needy, Miss Helen Bedell; Sally Needy, Mrs. H. McCormick; sisters. Mrs. Needy, their mother. Mrs. Dennis Carroll, Miss Wilcoxings, a dressmaker, Miss Mildred Light, Mrs. Merry Montgorn, their aunt from California. Mrs. James Tobias, Solo, "Come Let's Be Sweethearts Once More," Mrs. Marion McKnight. Recitation, Mrs. Louis Needy. A Farce—"Train Leaves in Ten Minutes," Frank Gray, Lewis Rucker, Mrs. Frank Gray, Marion McKnight, Betty Gray, Maud Van Nostrand. Song, "All Hail to Our Flag," by several ladies. Admission, adults 20 cents; children under twelve, 10 cents. Ice cream extra; cake free. Come one, come all and enjoy a good laugh. Proceeds for benefit of the church.

### WEST PARK.

West Park, Feb. 28.—Mrs. Frank Quinn of New York city spent a few days the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Cudney. Mrs. John Demaron and daughter, Mrs. Harvey Osterlander are visiting in New York city.

Mrs. William Burger and daughter, Lillian spent Monday in Poughkeepsie.

Mrs. Vincent Quinn and Miss Dorcas Demary spent Saturday with friends in Pleasant Valley.

Harvey Wezenaar, Jr., of New York city spent the week end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Wezenaar in this place.

Mrs. Pierre Travis has returned home, after a visit in New York city.

Eliza Smith is critically ill at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mackey are.

spent a day last week in Poughkeepsie.

Mrs. Walter Burger spent Friday in Poughkeepsie.

Mrs. Gilbert Drake spent a day last week with her nephew, Fred Kane, who is ill at his home in Highland.

Mrs. Deputy Dairs of Kingston is visiting at the home of her brother, George C. Hasbrouck.

Mrs. Gilbert Ackert and daughter, Mrs. Chester Elliott spent a day last week in Poughkeepsie.

Miss Anna Kniffin, who is ill with scarlet fever, is gaining nicely at the writing, under the care of Dr. George Ross of Port Ewen.

Miss James Hasbrouck is ill at the home of her son, George C. Hasbrouck.

Mrs. J. R. Simmons, who has been very ill, is on the gain at this writing. Her many friends here hope for her fast recovery.

Skating on the Hudson is being greatly enjoyed by the young people of this place.

Mrs. H. Cudney is ill and under the doctor's care.

Jesse Jones spent Friday in Kingston.

### BONTICOU.

Bonticou, Feb. 28.—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schaaf and little Miss Evelyn returned home from a visit to New York and New Jersey last week.

Mrs. A. Goepferich, who has been making a prolonged visit at her daughter's in New York city, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Geary spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Kingston.

The young people of this place are anticipating some good times at several parties to be held in the near future.

### A Quiet Day in Court.

Today was a very quiet day in recorder's court no cases being brought to the attention of Recorder Lang when he convened court this morning.

## APPEAL FOR AID FOR FAMILIES OF CO. M

Everyone in the city and county is now given an opportunity to display their patriotism by assisting in furnishing financial aid to the families of the members of Company M who are now in need of help. Many of the "boys" left a wife and children or others dependent upon their wages, and in most cases their wages stopped when they marched away behind the flag. The Company M Relief Committee appointed a soliciting committee who are desirous of obtaining a continuous income which will provide sufficiently for these dependents while Company M is on duty. In order that they might be assured of having the necessary amount each week needed by the families, the soliciting committee decided to provide pledges so that all citizens can contribute according to their means.

The pledge card calls for a certain amount each month in advance beginning with March 1st. The committee feels that it is a duty which is due to the members of Company M and their families. The committee will need the minimum sum of \$150.00 per week for the families. The patriotism of those not members of Company M is measured by their willingness to help those who are members. The city and county are answerable and accountable. Measure up to your sense of responsibility. Cut out the following pledge, fill it in according to your pocketbook and mail it at once to Mayor Palmer Canfield, Jr., who is chairman of the soliciting committee, and if you can, send your first month's pledge with it.

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A dash of lemon juice in water makes a good tooth wash and sweetens the breath.







WEDNESDAY, FEB. 28, 1917.

Sun rises, 6:37; sets, 5:51.  
Weather, cloudy. Humidity, 51 to 60.

## The Temperature.

The lowest point registered by The Freeman's thermometer last night was 39 degrees. The highest point reached up until noon today was 38 degrees.

## Weather Forecast.

Washington, Feb. 28.—Snow in the interior, snow or rain along the coast tonight and Thursday; fresh to strong northeast winds.

## WORK FOR FISH AND GAME.

Ulster Protective Association Elects Officers.

The Ulster Fish and Game Protective Association elected the following officers at its recent annual meeting: L. H. Bogart, president; Franklin Tobey, vice president; Ross Cole, treasurer; C. S. Preston, secretary.

Action was taken in favor of the federal migratory bird laws and extension of treaties with Canada on this subject and in favor of a state constabulary. Discussion was had upon the bill for licensing cats without action. Plans were made for securing a supply of pheasant eggs for distribution this spring. Results of last year's settings were good and many pheasants are reported in various parts of the county. A half million fish were also placed in streams.

## PHOENICIA.

Phoenicia, Feb. 27.—The Laurel Wreath Society will hold a time social at the home of Albert Warren on March 1. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

Frank Smith had the misfortune to lose one of his valuable horses last week.

The Epworth League will hold its monthly social business meeting on Friday, March 2.

Charles Van Steenburgh is not much improved at this writing.

We are very sorry to lose our old friend and neighbor, John Gussow, who is moving to Bushnellville on his father's old homestead, where he intends to make his future home of farming.

Alfred Evans, the champion trapper of this place, has caught ten foxes so far this winter.

Anna Chacey is very much better at this writing.

Edward Hallenback and son, Lewis, are busy drawing telephone poles off of James Van's woodlot.

The play, "Professor Pepp," which was held on Washington's Birthday, was a big success.

Part of the large barn on J. L. McGloth's farm is being torn down. Clinton Terry is doing the work.

Next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock our district superintendent, Dr. Bell, will speak to us at the Methodist Church.

Clinton Terry has purchased a new Ford car.

The Ladies' Aid Society will hold their monthly business meeting in the lecture room of the church on Thursday, March 1, at 3 p. m.

## BUSINESS NOTICES.

## PILLOWS.

For a few days only, all pure white and mixed live goods at \$1.50. FOLDING MATTRESS WORKS, 353 Foxhall Avenue, Feb. 28-1917.

Central Lunch, corner Broadway and St. James street, now open. Large variety home cooking. O'Connor's famous home made pies twice daily.

## HARVEY DUNHAM, Prop.

Prof. Clyde Van Steenburgh's dancing class will meet in Pythian Hall, Kingston, Thursday evening, February 23 to 3. Assembly 8 to 12. Malsenheider's orchestra.

## ORANGES.

Just received a carload of California Sun-Kist Navel Oranges. Extra fancy. EDWARD T. McGUIRE.

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## NEW VICTOR RECORDS for MARCH

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W. H. RIDER'S PIANO STORE, 304 Wall St.

## LATEST NEWS OF AQUEDUCT ARMY

New Hurley, Feb. 28.—Hello city folks. Just to remind you that the boys of Detachment No. 3, Company M, Tenth Regiment, are still living in the best of health. Just a word about the boys.

Sergeant is a good candy maker but the boys prefer he would use baking soda instead of cream of tartar.

The reason we can't mention anything about Corporal Markle is he eats so much that he can't take time to talk. We wonder where he developed that sweet tooth.

Wanted—Will somebody kindly donate a new uniform for Corporal Brophy for he is getting so fat that his present uniform will not fit him.

Happy Warner is still in the cow yard trying to throw the bull, which he thought he had until Entrott told him he was trying to throw a cow.

Private Ray Miller, New Hurley's famous musician, is trying to amuse the boys with a kazoo or a tin horn and also wears those loud ties to attract the girls.

Back Woolsey is still looking for his daily letter. I wonder what for. You tell Buck.

Private Miller has a headache from using his brains trying to figure out Frank Schupp. Who said Frank is too crooked to be used for a ramrod.

Hasbrouck, better known as "Spooks," will have to be transferred or they will have to move the cemetery.

The boys are still hoping for Private Britchell's early recovery from his recent operation.

Martin Oulton is still amusing the folks by singing "My Son Joshua." His next appearance will be at Garrison, N. Y.

Perry is wishing his girl friend lived in Kingston. So do we, so he will stop asking the sergeant for forty-eight hours off.

Hurrah! Hurrah! Entrott's troubles are all over. The gates are wide open. He can now make his bed in 2:10.

Artie Fox has decided to let the boys give him a write-up. Sorry, but we have nothing on him at present.

But we will if he don't stop talking in his sleep.

Private Ward Relyea is still telling the boys why Kingston high school lost the last game of basketball with Poughkeepsie.

"My brother, Ed, didn't play." We wonder why he goes to Walden twice a week. Ask Ward, he will tell you.

All is well that ends well. With best regards to the people of Kingston from Detachment No. 3, Company M, Tenth Regiment.

## SAINT JOSEPH

Saint Joseph, Feb. 27.—Mrs. Mary C. Dupuy entertained at her home on Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rouse and family, also Russell Lawrence and family.

Wilford Coddington and family are spending a few days with Mrs. Coddington's father at Kiserike.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Riley and family called on Mrs. George Sahler at Accord on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hector Osterhout of Kiserike called on her mother at this place on Sunday.

William Smith is cutting loose on his wood lot.

The play was line up at Rock Hill, given by the children, but was not very well attended, but a small sum of 10.75 was made.

Warren Lawrence drew some fine big stone for John Henderson on Friday.

Custer Riley is drawing some fine cord wood to Allgetville this week.

S. J. Roosa is about to sell his farm in this place.

Lewis Miller has a fine brood of chickens, now getting about 100 eggs a day.

Warren Lawrence has a fine foxhound for sale. Apply Box No. 4.

Mrs. M. C. Dupuy has 11 fine little pigs.

Mrs. Lewis Miller attended church at Accord on Sunday.

O. Coddington, who has been spending a few days with his grandmother in The Clove, has returned home.

We are all sorry to have Reuben Turner move away. He has taken a position in Poughkeepsie.

E. Miller attended the play at the school house on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Dupuy entertained some company over Sunday.

A. D. Krom is quite ill at this writing.

Frank Coddington called on Russell Lawrence on Saturday afternoon.

Warren Lawrence sold one of his fine cows last week.

Henry Lawrence has been sawing wood through Kiserike the past week.

Russ Coddington called at the post office here on Saturday.

Russell Lawrence spent a few days out of town a short time ago.

Mrs. M. C. Dupuy has a fine Jersey bull for sale.

Henry Lawrence has bought a fine new oil tank for gasoline.

## NATURALIZATION CASES IN ULSTER

Total of 344 Applicants for Citizenship Since Outbreak of European War—Italians Number a Full Third of Those Seeking Papers.

The extent to which the European war has affected naturalization of aliens into American citizens is a matter that has received much attention recently.

Announcement in some cities have been to the effect that there has been a rush of applicants for citizenship during the past few weeks that outnumbered applications for entire years.

In order to determine the naturalization conditions in Ulster county, so far as concerns the thing of declaration of intention to become citizens, The Freeman has examined the naturalization records and compiled the results for the benefit of its readers. Taking the figures for four years, the examination did not include any examination of the records of second papers or final disposition of the cases, but only the declarations, which must be filed before any other proceedings are taken.

The European conflict began about the first of August, 1914, so that the results for that year are separated into two groups, the first covering the period before the war began, and the second the period after the war began to the end of that year.

The total number of intentions to become citizens filed for each year was as follows:

|                    |    |
|--------------------|----|
| 1913               | 78 |
| 1914, to Aug 1st   | 40 |
| 1914, from Aug 1st | 44 |
| 1915               | 51 |
| 1916               | 75 |
| 1917, to Feb. 24th | 25 |

These 344 aliens who have declared their intention to become citizens and some of whom by reason of the lapse of the required time have fulfilled such declarations are classified among the nations as follows:

|   |     |
|---|-----|
| Subjects of Italy   | 120 |
| Subjects of Russia  | 65  |
| Subjects of Austria-Hungary                                   | 47  |
| Austria, 31; Hungary, 16                                      |     |
| Subjects of Germany   | 44  |
| Subjects of Great Britain                                     | 36  |
| England, 18; Ireland, 8; Scotland, 7; Canada, 3; Australia, 1 |     |
| Subjects of Turkey  | 7   |
| Subjects of Norway  | 6   |
| Subjects of Denmark   | 6   |
| Subjects of Spain   | 4   |
| Subjects of Holland   | 3   |
| Subjects of Sweden  | 3   |
| Subjects of France  | 1   |
| Subjects of Greece  | 1   |
| Subjects of Rumania   | 1   |
| Subjects of Switzerland                                       | 1   |
| Subjects of Portugal  | 1   |
| Subjects of Honduras  | 1   |

The war in Europe, as stated, began about the first of August, 1914, and the number of declarations filed during that year, from the first of January until the first of August, and from the first of August until the first of the following January, may be interesting to Freeman readers. It is as follows:

|         | Before Aug. 1 | After Aug. 1 |
|---------|---------------|--------------|
| Italy   | 17            | 18           |
| Russia  | 9             | 6            |
| Austria | 5             | 4            |
| Hungary | 1             | 2            |
| Germany | 1             | 6            |
| Denmark | 2             | 1            |
| England | 2             | 1            |
| Holland | 2             | 1            |
| Spain   | 2             | 1            |
| Norway  | 1             | —            |
| Ireland | 1             | —            |
| France  | 1             | —            |
| Sweden  | 1             | —            |
| Greece  | 1             | —            |
| Turkey  | 1             | —            |

The total number of declarations of intentions among the nations by years for the period mentioned, including this year, was as follows:

|                 | 1913 | 1914 | 1915 | 1916 | 1917 |
|-----------------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Italy           | 71   | 21   | 31   | 23   | 1    |
| Russian         | 17   | 15   | 18   | 16   | 1    |
| Austria-Hungary | 10   | 12   | 8    | 17   | 1    |
| Germany         | 11   | 5    | 8    | 7    | 1    |
| Denmark         | 8    | 6    | 10   | 9    | 1    |
| Turkish         | 1    | 3    | 2    | 1    | —    |
| Norwegian       | 1    | 2    | 2    | 1    | —    |
| Danes           | —    | 4    | —    | 1    | —    |
| Spanish         | 11   | 3    | —    | —    | —    |
| Holland         | —    | 2    | —    | 1    | —    |
| Sweden          | —    | 1    | 1    | —    | —    |
| French          | —    | 1    | —    | —    | —    |
| Greek           | —    | 1    | —    | —    | —    |
| Rumanian        | —    | 1    | —    | —    | —    |
| Swiss           | —    | 1    | —    | —    | —    |
| Portuguese      | —    | 1    | —    | —    | —    |
| Honduran        | —    | 1    | —    | —    | —    |

## LEIBHARDT.

Leibhardt, Feb. 28.—A number from this place are planning on attending the entertainment and ladies' social at Melitachops Friday evening, March 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Quick of Rochester Center were guests at Mrs. Quick's former home Sunday afternoon and evening.

Alex. Brown and Otto Alexander spent Saturday in Ellenville.

James Kelder returned to his position at Middletown after spending a few days at home last week.

Mrs. Eugene Quick spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Alex. Brown.

Henry DeWitt and son, Jacob, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Hornbeck at Whitfield on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hinkley were guests at Mrs. Hinkley's former home on Sunday.

Mrs. Julia Quick entertained her son Mr. and Mrs. Albert Quick, and their daughter of Tappan Sunday.

Peter Lattermer and his brother, Jacob, moved their household furniture in the tenement house recently vacated by Wilbur Brown, while their stepfather, Ephraim Brown, was away from home one day last week.

The pupils of the day school are selling the American flag pins to raise money toward buying a new flag for their school.

Mrs. Abie Kelder and children of Rosendale enjoyed a few days' visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter DeWitt, last week.

Mrs. Florence Hornbeck spent Sunday night with her sister, Mrs. Joseph Hornbeck.

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